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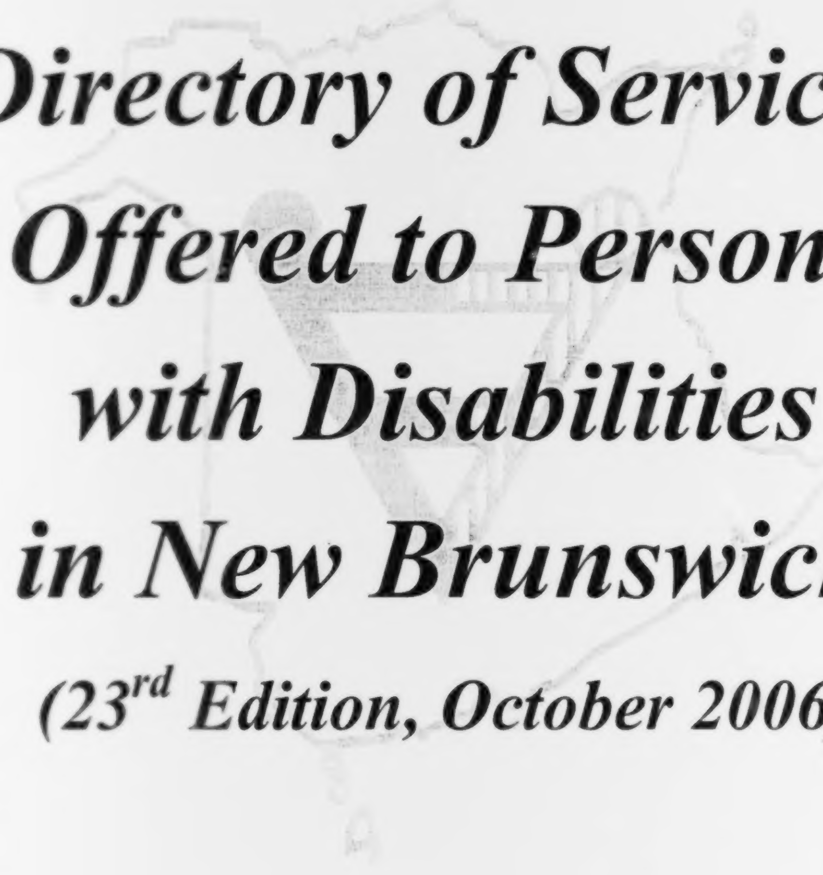

Directory of Services Offered to Persons with Disabilities in New Brunswick

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FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

What's in it?
The 2006 Edition of the *Directory of Services Offered to Persons with Disabilities in New Brunswick* contains a descriptive list of services and programs offered by community groups and government to the people of the province with disabilities. We do not list private for profit services or products due to quality assurance and potential liability issues.

How do I find what I'm looking for?
All the information is presented alphabetically in each section of the Directory. The first section of the Directory includes information offered by the provincial government, followed by a section with programs offered by the federal government and then a section with programs offered by community groups.

New for 2006 is an index by general subject which follows this page. This will enable users to search for a program or service based on a category, rather than by searching for the specific name of a program or a service. For those who already know the name of what they are looking for, the traditional alphabetical index can be found at the back of the Directory.

Is the information up to date?
The information contained in the Directory was gathered over the summer of 2006. Each government department and organization was contacted to verify their listing. If you find errors in any of the listings, or if you are aware of other services that could possibly be included in the Directory, please let us know.

How often is the information updated?
The online version of the Directory is updated as soon as we are made aware of any changes. Print-outs of the updates are also available on a regular basis, please contact the office for these.

Does the Council endorse the services listed in the Directory?
The Council is not responsible for the actual delivery of these services. It is not our goal to imply an evaluation or endorsement of the services listed.

I still can't find what I'm looking for, what should I do?
The friendly staff at the Premier's Council on the Status of Disabled Persons are very knowledgeable and experienced in directing people towards the right program or service. Please call the office if you need additional guidance.

The Council also has a number of other free information resources covering other topics of interest to persons with disabilities. The information in the other directories may be more specific to certain topics. These can be found on the Premier's Council website or can be mailed.

Is the information available in alternate formats?

Yes, please call the Premier's Council to let us know which format you need. We are promoting the use of electronic versions of the Directory to cut down on printing and shipping costs.

Can I photocopy the Directory?

Yes, we would encourage users to photocopy the information in order to share it with as many people as possible.

How much does it cost?

The Directory is currently offered for free. The actual combined cost of printing and mailing a Directory is approximately $14.00. Taking this into account, we hope that users will access the Directory online which is always the most up-to-date version. PDF versions will also be available on the Council's website and we can mail a Directory on CD. The 2006 edition will be the final year for sending unsolicited copies. Hard copy print versions will still be available upon request for those who cannot access the electronic versions.

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(referral to government services)

Canada Revenue Agency (Income Tax) (800) 959-8281 (general inquiries)
(800) 665-0354 (services for persons with a hearing impairment)
(800) 267-1267 (services for persons with a visual impairment)

Information about **GST/HST** refund cheques, remittances, account status, errors on previously filed returns, call (800) 959-1953.

Status of specific **GST/HST** rebate claims, call (800) 565-9353.

Information Services for Registered Charities and Non-Profit Organizations (Ottawa) (800) 267-2384

NB Tax Help Line (506) 453-2404
(Provides information on the application of NB sales tax)

The office of the Premier's Council on the Status of Disabled Persons has information on scholarships, bursaries and financial assistance for students with disabilities or students who are studying in the rehabilitation field.

The Council's office has an information library covering a wide range of subjects related to persons with disabilities. We also have access to other systems and we continuously receive information on new topics.

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Instructional programs for the pupils of New Brunswick are the responsibility of the Department of Education. Under the Education Act, school attendance is compulsory for children between the ages of five and eighteen, or until graduation. The Department of Education has the mandate to offer an appropriate education to each person of the age of five to the end of the school year in which he or she becomes twenty-one years of age inclusive who has not graduated from high school and is a resident of the school district. All programs and services are delivered by local schools through the authority of the school and the Regional School Districts.

I. **General Services:**

- Instruction, Grades K-12.
- Student services.
- Pupil transportation services.

II. **Specialized Services:**

- Identification and placement of students with exceptional educational needs.
- Development and implementation of special education programs for those students identified as being an exceptional student.
- Instructional programs for students placed at home or in hospital who are registered in the local school district.
- Transportation for students with disabilities attending public schools.
- Instructional programs and special services for visually and hearing impaired students (see description given below).
- Provision of special assistive technology equipment/resources.

Student Services Branch

Services to children with special educational needs are co-ordinated through the Student Services Unit, under Robert Gerard, Assistant Director, telephone (506) 444-4711.

Instructional Services for Students who are Blind or Visually Impaired, Deaf or Hard of Hearing:

The Atlantic Provinces Special Education Authority, in co-operation with each of the Atlantic Provinces, is responsible for services to students who are blind or visually impaired, deaf or hard of hearing from birth to 21 years of age who are residents of Atlantic Canada. Depending on the student's needs, services are provided in the student's home, local school or through a resource centre in Halifax:

1. APSEA Resource Centre   Telephone: (902) 667-3808
   5940 South Street
   Halifax, Nova Scotia B3H 1S6

The Centre provides services in the student's local community and within the facility. Services offered at the Centre in Halifax consist of:

- a program for multi-disabled students who are deaf and hard of hearing.
- a program for deafblind students.
- an academic program.
- assessment services.
- consultation services.
- a teacher education program.

Services offered in the communities of New Brunswick are:

- a training and development program for parents of preschoolers who are deaf or hard of hearing.
- itinerant teacher, tutor and consultative support for students who are deaf or hard of hearing in regular classes.
- resource for students who are deaf or hard of hearing.
- education assistants/interpreters.
- provision of adapted materials and special equipment.

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Fax: (506) 457-7835
E-mail: joan.skinner@gnb.ca

or the Superintendent of your school district.

2. APSEA Resource Centre
5940 South Street
Halifax, Nova Scotia B3H 1S6

Telephone: (902) 424-8500
Fax: (902) 424-0543

The Centre provides services in the student's local community and within the facility. Services offered at the Centre in Halifax are:

- short-term programs for students with visual impairments.
- assessment services.
- consultation services.

Services offered in the communities of New Brunswick are:

- preschool programs.
- consultative services.
- itinerant teacher support for students with visual impairments in regular classes.
- provision of adapted material (e.g., Braille and large print textbooks, taped material).
- provision of specialized equipment.
- orientation and mobility services.
- transition services for students with visual impairments.

For more information on services, write or call:

Christine Purcell
Provincial Supervisor
for Students with Visual Impairments
Department of Education
P.O. Box 6000
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 5H1

Telephone: (506) 444-4737
Fax: (506) 457-7835
E-mail: christine.purcell@gnb.ca

or the superintendent of your school district.

NOTE: The Department of Education also has services specifically for the francophone schools. Please refer to the French version of the Directory for listings from the francophone division of the Department.

STUDENT FINANCIAL SERVICES

Student Financial Services
Dept. of Education
548 York Street
P.O. Box 6000
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 5H1

Toll-free: (800) 667-5626
Telephone (Fredericton area): (506) 453-2577
(Saint John area): (506) 646-7350
Fax: (506) 444-4333
Website: www.studentaid.gnb.ca

The Student Financial Services Branch delivers government sponsored student financial assistance to New Brunswick residents attending post-secondary institutions. New Brunswick Student Financial Assistance is designed to assist eligible New Brunswick residents to access post-secondary educational opportunities and to encourage them to complete their studies in a timely and successful manner. Students attending designated public (universities and colleges) and private post-secondary educational institutions are eligible for student financial assistance.

A Canada Study Grant of up to $8,000 is available to students with disabilities to cover costs of special services and equipment. Also, a Canada Access Grant for Students with Permanent Disabilities of up to $2,000 is available to assist in covering the costs of accommodation, tuition, books and other education related needs.

The Student Financial Services Web site is located at http://www.studentaid.gnb.ca. The site provides 24-hour e-services access to the online student financial assistance application; application status inquiry form; other commonly used program forms and the annual Student Financial Assistance Program Information Guide.

DEPARTMENT OF FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES

Sartain MacDonald Building
551 King Street
P.O. Box 6000
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 5H1

Telephone: (506) 453-2001
After Hours Emergency: (800) 442-9799
Fax: (506) 453-7478
Website: www.gnb.ca/0017/index-e.asp

Career Development Services: What are career development services? Career development services refer to a wide range of programs and services which have, as their purpose and objective, individuals gaining the knowledge, skills, attitudes and behaviours to manage their learning, work and transitions in self-directed and meaningful ways across their lifespan.

Who is eligible for career development services? Here are some of the career development services offered by FCS, either directly or through referral, to clients receiving social assistance who have potential for employment:

- Literacy (Community Adult Learning Program)
- Academic Upgrading
- Prior Learning Assessment and Recognition (PLAR)
- Assessment for Learning Disabilities
- Lasting Gifts Workshop for Parents
- Career Counselling
- Training and Skills Development
- Employment Programs and Services

For more information please contact your local office of Family and Community Services.

Case Management (Social Assistance Clients): What is Case Management? Case Management is a process of coordinating and brokering the multiple career development services needed to progress an individual towards self sufficiency. This is done in collaboration with the client, other team members and the service providers.

Who is eligible for case management services? FCS offers case management services to all clients receiving social assistance. In addition to financial support, clients with the potential for employment are assisted by a case manager with the development of an individual career development case plan. For more information please contact your local office of Family and Community Services.

Community and Individual Development Branch: The Community and Individual Development (CID) Branch is responsible for the planning, designing and monitoring functions for all departmental programs and services designed to assist individuals achieve self-sufficiency. Programs and services in this area include Case Management Services and

Career Development Options for social assistance clients. CID also assists the development of the community capacity necessary to support the clients of the Department such as the Community Involvement Program and the Home Orientation and Management Program.

Community Involvement Program: What is the Community Involvement Program? The CIP promotes life style enrichment opportunities for public housing residents. The program is based on a community development approach where individuals organize themselves collectively into a tenant association to identify community needs, set priorities of action and utilize their own resources to carry out programs to benefit their housing community. Some activities include community gardening partnerships with outside resources and active community centers.

There are currently 13 active tenant associations and 7 committees in various stages of development, as a result of having CIP support in four major cities across the province.

Who benefits? Families and individuals residing in public housing communities.

What are the objectives of CIP?

- To raise physical security level of tenants and neighbours of family housing projects.
- To raise public awareness of the objectives of Public Housing.
- To enhance the services, management and physical standards of family and senior housing projects.
- To reduce social isolation.
- To promote opportunities for residents to achieve a greater degree of self-sufficiency and housing mobility.

Do you have any questions? Please contact the Community Involvement Coordinator in your area:
Moncton (866) 426-5191
Saint-John (506) 658-4640
Fredericton (866) 444-8838
Chaleur (506) 547-2020

Home Orientation and Management Program (HOM): What is HOM? The Home Orientation and Management Program is designed to motivate individuals to develop skills and independence. Through HOM, a series of workshops are offered to public housing tenants to meet their various needs. These workshops can include the following topics: budgeting, home management, CPR, teaching kitchens, self-esteem issues and sewing/crafts classes.

Who is eligible? Families and/or individuals residing in public housing communities.

What are the objectives of the HOM Program? The objectives of the HOM Program include assisting participants in making a successful move to their new home; provide useful information on home maintenance, on managing available resources and resources available in their community to help families/individuals meet their daily needs. It is also meant to encourage self confidence and a sense of pride; provide an opportunity to develop their own supportive network and for participants to evaluate and develop their own personal strengths.

Do you have any questions? Please contact the Department of Family and Community Services in your area.

Housing and Income Support

The Housing and Income Support Branch of Family and Community Services offers a number of financial programs. Its responsibility includes all income programs including Social Assistance and Disability Income programs. Some services are open to all clients of the Department while some are only available to clients with disabilities. Clients must apply or ask for each service. Applicants should request refusals to be put in writing so they can appeal later if necessary.

Housing: Family and Community Services administers a number of housing programs that are jointly funded with the Federal government, as well as others that are 100% provincially funded. It should be noted that these housing programs might be altered from time to time to meet changing needs and circumstances. It is best to contact the appropriate **regional housing office** (see page 10) for information regarding the full particulars of these programs.

Emergency Repair Program: To assist low-income homeowner households requiring urgent repair to render the unit fit for continued safe habitation. This assistance is in the form of a non-repayable loan.

Federal/Provincial Repair Program: This program is offered by the Family and Community Services and provides four types of financial assistance:

1. Modifications to low income homeowner and rental units to improve the accessibility of the dwelling for occupants with disabilities.
2. Adaptations for low-income seniors who have difficulty with daily living activities in the home.
3. Provides assistance for limited modifications to eligible households to accommodate an aging parent.
4. Low-income homeowners occupying existing substandard housing to repair, rehabilitate, or improve their dwellings to a minimum level of health and safety.

To qualify: Households whose income is below the established "housing income limits" which vary by household size and by geographical areas within the province.
Other conditions:

- Modifications required for people with disabilities must be housing related and/or provide access to permanently installed basic facilities within the dwelling; or
- Adaptations for seniors must facilitate and prolong independent living (i.e. using the kitchen and getting around hallways); or
- Own the home and live in it; and
- Requires major repairs or lacks basic facilities in one or more of the following areas: structural; electrical; plumbing; heating; fire safety; or serious cases of overcrowding.

Program Details:

- For homeowners in need of major repairs and or disabled accessible modifications assistance is in the form of a loan, a portion of which may not have to be repaid; this portion is called forgivable. The maximum forgivable loan per housing unit is $10,000 for regular repairs and $10,000 for disabled accessible items. The amount is at the provincial borrowing interest rate and can be repaid over a period of up to 15 years.
- Homeowner households may be eligible for a forgivable loan for both disabled accessible modifications and other major repair items (i.e. structural, electrical) to a maximum of $20,000.
- Seniors are eligible for a forgivable loan for minor adaptations to facilitate independent living to a maximum of $3,500.
- Landlords are eligible for a forgivable loan for disabled modifications to a maximum of $10,000.

Home Completion Loan Program: To offer financial assistance to low and modest income households to complete their partially constructed homes. Occupants must own and occupy, or intend to occupy, a partially completed house and have been a resident of New Brunswick for at least one year. The assistance comes in the form of a repayable loan sufficient to complete the home, to a maximum allowable amount of $30,000.

Home Ownership Program: To provide financial assistance to low and modest income families to help them buy or build a modest first home. Applicants must meet the following requirement: be a first-time home owner or be living in a substandard housing unit; be a resident of New Brunswick and have been living here for at least one year; have a good credit rating and meet all financial institution lending requirements for obtaining a first mortgage. If purchasing an existing unit, the department will provide assistance in the form of a repayable loan for 25% of the purchase price of the unit. If building a house, a maximum of $50,000 will be provided for assistance in the form of a repayable loan. This contribution is not to exceed 50% of the total house costs.

Non-Profit and Co-op Housing: Existing non-profit groups and organizations assist low-income households in the provision of safe, affordable and accessible housing units. Households, who pay more than 30% of their income for adequate and suitable housing in the private market and those with special purpose housing needs, can make an application to their local non-profit group or organizations for housing consideration. Tenants are selected on the basis of demonstrated need.

Affordable Rental Housing Program: Assistance to private entrepreneurs, private non-profit corporations (includes off-reserve native population), and co-operatives for the construction, acquisition and rehabilitation, conversion and operation of rental housing projects. A development proposal is eligible if it meets the following requirements:

- Eligible projects must increase the supply of affordable rental units for low and moderate income households.
- Projects may be developed through new construction, the purchase of existing housing with or without subsequent rehabilitation and the conversion of existing buildings. Note – Private entrepreneurs are only eligible to develop new construction projects.
- Eligible tenants include families, seniors, non-elderly singles, disabled households, persons with special needs. Supportive housing programs may also be used to assist vulnerable seniors and adults to help them maintain or resume independent living in their own home.
- Assistance is in the form of a forgivable loan and is based on the cost of eligible work and the number of eligible self-contained units or be units within a project. The maximum forgivable contribution for projects sponsored by non-profit groups is $35,000 per unit and may include 100% of the units within a project. Private entrepreneurs are eligible for a maximum forgivable contribution of $25,000 per unit, limited to no more than 50% of the total units within a project. Private entrepreneurs are also required to at least match FCS's capital grant contribution in the form of an equity contribution (cash or land). Borrowers will enter into a Mortgage Agreement with FCS to ensure that units remain affordable to low and moderate income households.
- Interest free proposal development funding loans are provided to assist eligible non-profit & co-operative sponsors of projects to carry out the activities required to develop a project proposal to the point where a commitment of assistance can be made.
- Where situations warrant rental subsidies (Rent Supplements) may be provided to ensure units are affordable to low-income households. Tenants qualifying for assistance through the Rent Supplement Program will have their rents reduced to 30% of the adjusted household income. Landlords will receive the difference between the rent paid by the tenant and the market rent agreed to under a rental agreement.

Public Housing Program: To assist one and two parent families, non-elderly singles and senior citizens, who, because of low income, experience difficulty in obtaining adequate and affordable rental housing. Tenants for public housing rental units are chosen on demonstrated need.

Rent Supplement Program: To assist households in need to obtain affordable, adequate and suitable rental accommodation by subsidizing rents in the private rental sector. The program provides assistance to eligible tenants by reducing their rent to 30% of their adjusted household income. Landlords will receive the difference between the rent paid by the tenant and the market rent agreed to under a rental agreement.

Rental and Rooming House Rehabilitation Assistance Program: These two programs offer financial assistance to landlords/owners for mandatory repairs to:

- self-contained units that are substandard and rented to low-income households or
- to rooming houses with bed units that are affordable to low-income occupants

The assistance is in the form of a forgivable loan. The maximum amount for each self-contained unit is $24,000 and $16,000 for each bed unit. Owners must contribute 25% of the total cost of eligible repairs and enter into a rental agreement to ensure that rents remain affordable to low-income occupants.

Rural and Native Housing/Basic Shelter Program: To provide housing to eligible off-reserve native and non-native households who require affordable, adequate and suitable accommodations in rural communities with a population of less than 2,500 residents.

The following is an address list for the ***Regional Housing Offices***. Please contact for further details.

Bathurst Office
275 Main Street, Room 106
Harbourview Place
P. O. Box 5001
Bathurst, N.B. E2A 3Z9
Telephone: (506) 547-7467
Fax: (506) 546-7488

Campbellton Office
113 Rosenberry Street, Suite 204
P.O. Box 5001
Campbellton, N.B. E3N 2G6
Telephone: (506) 789-2422
Fax: (506) 759-9504

Edmundston Office
121 Church Street, Suite 307
P. O. Box 5001
Edmundston, N.B. E3V 3L3
Telephone: (506) 737-4468
Fax: (506) 735-2448

Fredericton Office
644 Queen Street
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 1C2
Telephone: (506) 457-7868
Fax: (506) 453-2223

Lamèque Office
18 Principale Street
P. O. Box 5001
Lamèque, N.B. E8T 1M4
Telephone: (506) 344-3033
Fax: (506) 344-3038

Miramichi Office
Rodd Miramichi Building
1809 Water Street, 3rd Floor
Miramichi, N.B. E1N 1B2
Telephone: (506) 778-6615
Fax: (506) 778-8976

Moncton Office
774 Main Street, 5th Floor
P. O. Box 5001
Moncton, N.B. E1C 8R3
Telephone: (506) 856-2437
Fax: (506) 856-3113

Richibucto Office
25 Cartier Boulevard, Unit 149
P. O. Box 5001
Richibucto, N.B. E4W 3W7
Telephone: (506) 523-7722
Fax: (506) 523-7677

Saint John Office
25 Beaverbrook Avenue
P. O. Box 5001
Saint John, N.B. E2L 4Y9
Telephone: (506) 658-5151
Fax: (506) 658-5171

Woodstock Office
200 King Street
P. O. Box 5001
Woodstock, N.B. E7M 1Z7
Telephone: (506) 325-4465
Fax: (506) 325-4541

Income Support

Health Services Program – The Health Services Program under Family and Community Services, also referred to as the "health card", assists eligible clients with the purchase of certain basic items not ordinarily covered by Medicare or private health plans. Eligible equipment items can include wheelchairs, bathroom aids, patient lifts, walkers, repairs, replacement parts, hearing aids, orthopaedic items, ostomy supplies, prosthetic items, oxygen and other respiratory equipment, etc.

A health card is provided to the following clients of the Department of Family and Community Services:

- Social Assistance clients and their dependents;
- Individuals who have special health needs and qualify under Section 4.4 of the Family Income Security Act and Regulations for extended health care;
- Children in the care of the Minister;
- Residents of nursing homes, special care homes, community residences and psychiatric hospitals;

- Children with special needs who are clients of the Community Based Services for Children with Special Needs Program (CBSCNSN), where the family demonstrates financial need. These children may receive a health card for specific items directly related to the child's special needs.
- Children where it has been recommended that income assistance be provided for board and lodging (Section 22).

Disability Supplement - Certified deaf, blind and disabled clients who qualify for basic assistance under the Extended Benefits Program are eligible for a once a year financial benefit from the Department of Family and Community Services. For information about receiving the supplement, please contact your case manager.

Extended Benefits Program – The Extended Benefits Program provides assistance to individuals and their families who are blind, deaf or who have determined to be disabled by the Medical Advisory Board. This is a category of financial assistance for those clients who, because of their disability, have a longer-term predictable need for financial support.

For more information, please contact the Family and Community Services office at one of the following locations in your area:

BATHURST - Harbourview Place
275 Main Street, Room 302
P. O. Box 5001
Bathurst, N.B. E2A 3Z9
Telephone: (506) 547-2000
Fax: (506) 547-2920

CAMPBELLTON - 157 Water Street, Room 100
City Centre Mall, Floor M
P.O. Box 5001
Campbellton, N.B. E3N 3L4
Telephone: (506) 789-2311
Fax: (506) 759-9556

CARAQUET - 20E St. Pierre Blvd West
P.O. Box 5516
Caraquet, N.B. E1W 1B7
Telephone: (506) 726-2055
Fax: (506) 726-2076

EDMUNDSTON - Carrefour Assomption
121 Church Street, Room 408
P.O. Box 5001
Edmundston, N.B. E3V 1J9
Telephone: (506) 735-2000
Fax: (506) 735-2448

FREDERICTON - 633 Queen Street
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 5G4
Telephone: (506) 453-3216
Fax: (506) 457-3544

GRAND FALLS - 160 Reservoir Road
P. O. Box 5001
Grand Falls, N.B. E3Z 1G1
Telephone: (506) 473-7745
Fax: (506) 473-6563

KEDGWICK - Provincial Building
39 Notre Dame Street, Suite A
Kedgwick, N.B. E8B 1H5
Telephone: (506) 284-3424
Fax: (506) 284-3425

MIRAMICHI - 152 Pleasant Street, Roach Bldg.
Miramichi, N.B. E1V 1Y1
Telephone: (506) 627-4001
Fax: (506) 622-0555

MONCTON - 770 Main Street
Assomption Place, 5th Floor
P. O. Box 5001
Moncton, N.B. E1C 8R3
Telephone: (506) 856-2414
Fax: (506) 856-2869

NEGUAC - Neguac HRD-NB Building
430 Principale Street
P.O. Box 5001
Neguac, N.B. E9G 1H5
Telephone: (506) 776-3800
Fax: (506) 776-3807

PERTH-ANDOVER - Station Square, Room E
588E East Riverside Drive
Perth-Andover, N.B. E7H 1Z5
Telephone: (506) 273-4724
Fax: (506) 273-4443

RICHIBUCTO - 25 Cartier Boulevard, Unit 149
P.O. Box 5001
Richibucto, N.B. E4W 3W7
Telephone: (506) 523-7616
Fax: (506) 523-7677

SACKVILLE - Main Plaza
170 Main Street, Room C-1
P.O. Box 6001
Sackville, N.B. E4L 4B4
Telephone: (506) 364-4084
Fax: (506) 364-4304

SAINT JOHN - 1 Agar Place
P.O. Box 2900
Saint John, N.B. E2L 5A3
Telephone: (506) 658-2450
Fax: (506) 658-3034

ST. STEPHEN - St. Stephen Regional Centre
41 King Street
St. Stephen, N.B. E3L 2C1
Telephone: (506) 477-7500
Fax: (506) 466-7393

SHÉDIAC - 342 Main Street, Unit 143
Shédiac, N.B. E4P 2E7
Telephone: (506) 533-3333
Fax: (506) 533-3340

SHIPPAGAN - Shippagan Auto Sales Building
182 J.D. Gauthier Boulevard
Shippagan, N.B. E8S 1P2
Telephone: (506) 336-3025
Fax: (506) 336-3036

SUSSEX - Sussex Provincial Building
707 Main Street, 3rd Floor
Sussex, N.B. E4E 7H7
Telephone: (506) 432-2006
Fax: (506) 432-6169

TRACADIE-SHEILA - Place Tracadie
3514 Main Street, 2nd Floor
Tracadie-Sheila, N.B. E1X 1G5
Telephone: (506) 394-3800
Fax: (506) 394-4403

WOODSTOCK - 680 Main Street, Unit 1
Woodstock, N.B. E7M 5Z9
Telephone: (506) 325-4413
Fax: (506) 325-4321

Policy and Federal/Provincial Relations Branch

Seniors Publications

The Branch distributes ***Reflections*** fact sheets on topics relevant to older adults. Titles to date include: *Healthy Active Aging, Medication Use, Sleeping, Constipation, Diabetes, Snacking Tips for Seniors, A Smile for all Seasons, Blood Pressure, Depression, Non-Smokers Inhale too, Falls, A Society for All Ages, Before you Drive, Out on the Roads, Vision, Hearing Loss* and *Food Safety*. The Branch maintains a mailing list and all individuals on it automatically receive a copy of any new publications. The Branch also distributes the Seniors' Guide to Services and Programs.

All materials are free of charge. To receive any of the above-mentioned materials or to be on our mailing list, please write to:

Department of Family and Community Services
Attention: Rena Mitchell
551 King Street
P.O. Box 6000
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 5H1
Telephone: (506) 453-2001
Fax: (506) 462-5150
E-mail: rena.mitchell@gnb.ca

You may also contact your regional **Family and Community Services** office.

ADULTS WITH DISABILITIES AND SENIOR SERVICES BRANCH

ADULT DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES, PROGRAMS AND TRAINING (A.D.A.P.T.)

A.D.A.P.T. is a program that provides long-term care clients appropriate opportunities to learn skills in centre or community based settings. Through a supported environment, A.D.A.P.T. focuses on the development and provision of valued training and activities and encourages appropriate behaviour, respect of daily schedules, dress, social habits and all other expectations that are placed on an adult individual.

A.D.A.P.T. services are designed to meet the participant's needs on a full-time or part-time basis. Although A.D.A.P.T. services, for the most part, are developmental in nature and designed to meet the needs of the client, as a result of this service, families and guardians of the client receive valuable hours of respite.

Individuals who have been assessed as eligible for long term care services and for whom it has been determined that this type of activity is appropriate can be referred to an A.D.A.P.T. program. The individual should be willing to participate in personal growth activities based on his or her interests and strengths.

For more information regarding A.D.A.P.T., contact one of the following programs in your area:

Vocational Plus
124 Main Street, Suite 401
St. George, N.B.
E5C 3S3
Contact: Laura Lee Carrier
Telephone: (506) 755-3730
Fax: (506) 755-8188
E-mail: communityliving@nb.aibn.com

L'Éclosion inc.
167 Principale Street
Ste-Anne-de-Madawaska, N.B.
E7E 1B1
Contact: Julie Francoeur
E-mail: eclosion@nb.aibn.com

L'Atelier des Copains Coop Ltée
1710 Route 205 East
St-François-de-Madawaska, N.B.
E7A 1P8
Contact: Jean-Guy Michaud
Telephone: (506) 992-2739
(506) 992-0102
Fax: (506) 992-1559
E-mail: atco@nb.aibn.com
Website: www.atco-plco.ca

Atelier Tournesol
P.O. Box 638
19 Ferry Street
Edmundston, N.B. E3V 3S1
Contact: Danny Bérubé
Telephone: (506) 739-8700
Fax: (506) 735-4602
E-mail: tournesol@nb.aibn.com

Atelier la Fabrique
564 Rivière-à-la-Truite Street
Tracadie-Sheila, N.B. E1X 1A7
Contact: Martina Robichaud
Telephone: (506) 395-2013
Fax: (506) 393-7387
E-mail: atelier_la_fabrique@hotmail.com

For a listing of other ADAPT agencies, please refer to NBASSE on page 129.

LONG TERM CARE PROGRAM

Long term care services refer to a range of services required by adults and seniors who, because of long term functional limitations, need assistance to function as independently as possible. The objective is to provide appropriate long term care services at the appropriate time and in the appropriate place within the overall continuum of care.

Services range from in-home support services to services in residential settings, including adult residential facilities (special care homes and community residences) and nursing homes.

Home Support Services

Home support services are provided to eligible clients who require non-professional personal assistance with care needs or with essential light housekeeping tasks can be maintained at home. The types of services available include personal care, homemaker/housekeeper, meals on wheels, or relief care. Clients who require more services than can be provided in their homes may be eligible for services in a residential facility.

Residential Facilities

Residential Facilities are approved to provide specific levels of care. Generally, nursing homes provide services to clients, mostly seniors, who require a high level of care and professional nursing services on a regular basis; community residences provide residential services to adults who require a high level of care, but do not require professional nursing services on a regular basis; special care homes provide residential services to clients (adults and seniors) who do not require a high level of care and professional nursing care on a regular basis.

Nursing Home Services

Nursing homes, licensed by the Nursing Homes Services Branch of the Department of Family and Community Services, provide long term care for eligible individuals whose care needs are greater than the family and other informal or formal community care resources and residential facilities can provide. The Long Term Care Program is responsible for determining eligibility for nursing home placement.

CHILD WELFARE & YOUTH SERVICES BRANCH

Community-Based Services for Children with Special Needs:

The Community-Based Services for Children with Special Needs Program (CBSCSN) under the Department of Family and Community Services offers services to families who are unable to provide all the care and support required to meet the special developmental needs of their severely disabled child. CBSCSN is a voluntary program, so families must demonstrate that in addition to the other community services they are accessing, their child still has some unmet needs. This program is not insured, so families must be prepared to contribute financially, where possible, to the additional services offered.

To be eligible a child must have a severe disability, which is life-long in nature and affects their daily living. The child must be under 19 years of age, and both they and their family/guardians must be residents of New Brunswick with valid Medicare cards.

Once a child is admitted to the Community-Based Services for Children with Special Needs Program, an individual Service Plan is developed based on the child's strengths, needs, and the services' availability. Depending on the child's special needs, identified in the Service Plan, services or items may be purchased to assist the family in providing the care and support the child requires. Some of these services or items covered are respite care, parent aides, medical and rehabilitation transportation, recreational opportunities and home support services.

Children whose families do not have private health insurance may be eligible for a health card that covers items such as prescription drugs, dental care, optical care, medical and rehabilitation equipment.

When families are no longer able to meet the care and supervision needs of their child, they may consider a temporary placement with the Department in a foster home or a group home situation.
For more information contact the regional offices of the Department of Family and Community Services.

EARLY CHILDHOOD AND SCHOOL-BASED SERVICES BRANCH:

Wendy McLeod MacKnight, Director
Sartain MacDonald Building
551 King Street, 2nd Floor
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 1E7

Telephone: (506) 453-2950
Fax: (506) 453-2082
E-mail: wendy.mcleod-macknight@gnb.ca

Brain research points to a brief window of extraordinary learning opportunity in early childhood. Success at this stage can mean learning success throughout life. We work in partnership with communities and agencies to assist parents in providing opportunities so that children are given the strongest start possible and that they are prepared to continue to learn from the time they enter school.
Programs and services include Early Intervention Services, Prenatal Benefit Program, Child Day Care Services, Day Care Assistance Program, Alternative Child Care Program, Services for Preschool Children with Autism, Quality Improvement Funding Support Program, Early Childhood Social Worker Services, Home Economics Services, Support Services to Education and Excellence in Parenting Programs, Nobody's Perfect Parenting Program.

SERVICES FOR PRESCHOOL CHILDREN WITH AUTISM:

The Department of Family and Community Services (FCS) provides families with up to $20,000 a year, per child, to purchase evidence-based services, including Applied Behaviour Analysis (ABA) therapy, that are part of an approved case plan.

These services will be in addition, if the family is eligible, to those services that the child and family may be already receiving through such programs as:

- Integrated Daycare and Early Intervention Services through Early Childhood Initiative;
- Rehabilitative Services through the Hospitals and Extra-Mural Programs; and
- Family support services through Community Based Services for Children with Special Needs.

Eligibility

- Child must be five years of age or under as of December 31st in the year of application;
- Child must be registered under the Early Childhood Initiatives (ECI) and/or the Community-Based Services for Children with Special Needs (CBSCSN) Program;
- Must be a resident of New Brunswick (in accordance with the Medical Services Payment Act);
- Must have documentation of diagnosis of Autism Spectrum Disorders.

INTERPRETER SERVICES FOR THE DEAF:

In order to increase accessibility to providing critical interpreter services, the Department of Family and Community Services provides these services in a limited number of defined settings when services are not available through other departments or the natural support system is unavailable or inadequate.

Interpreter services are short term and limited to medical appointments, counseling, court preparation and proceedings, and some specific situation related to employment, social services and education outside the school system (parent teacher interview).

The service can be accessed through the Access and Assessment Services of the regional office of Family and Community Services (a list of the regions and telephone numbers to follow). If the request is approved, the service will be coordinated through one of the two following agencies: ***South-East Deaf and Hard of Hearing Services Inc.*** (see listing on page 160) and ***Saint John Deaf and Hard of Hearing Services Inc.*** (see listing on page 153).

BATHURST	TTY: (506) 547-2996
CAMPBELLTON	TTY: (506) 789-7326
EDMUNDSTON	TTY: (506) 735-2533
FREDERICTON	TTY: (506) 444-5977
MIRAMICHI	TTY: (506) 627-4560
MONCTON	TTY: (506) 856-2845
SAINT JOHN	TTY: (506) 658-5304
TRACADIE	TTY: (506) 395-7897
After Hours Emergency Social Services	TTY: (800) 890-0644
(for Fredericton residents)	TTY: (506) 453-3655

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES:

BATHURST -	165 St. Andrew Street P. O. Box 5001 Bathurst, N.B. E2A 3Z9	Telephone: (506) 547-2020 Fax: (506) 547-2744
CAMPBELLTON -	157 Water Street, 3rd Floor P. O. Box 5001 Campbellton, N.B. E3N 3H5	Telephone: (506) 789-2422 Fax: (506) 759-9504
CARAQUET -	295 St. Pierre Boulevard West P. O. Box 5590 Caraquet, N.B. E1W 1B7	Telephone: (506) 726-2000 Fax: (506) 726-2755
EDMUNDSTON -	Carrefour Assomption 121 Church Street, Room 320 P. O. Box 5001 Edmundston, N.B. E3V 3L3	Telephone: (506) 735-2010 Fax: (506) 735-2514
FREDERICTON -	300 St. Mary's Street P. O. Box 5001 Fredericton, N.B. E3B 5G6	Telephone: (506) 453-3953 Fax: (506) 453-7146
GRAND FALLS -	131 Pleasant Street, 2nd Floor Grand Falls, N.B. E3Z 1G1	Telephone: (506) 473-7757 Fax: (506) 475-2451
GRAND MANAN -	North Head Business Centre 130 Route 776 Grand Manan, N.B. E5G 1A3	Telephone: (506) 662-7032 Fax: (506) 662-7038

KEDGWICK -	39 Notre Dame Street, Unit B Kedgwick, N.B. E8B 1H5	Telephone: (506) 284-3411 Fax: (506) 284-3420
MIRAMICHI - (CHATHAM)	1780 Water Street, Suite 300 Miramichi, N.B. E1N 1B6	Telephone: (506) 778-6100 Fax: (506) 778-5292
MIRAMICHI - (NEWCASTLE)	360 Pleasant Street, 2nd Floor P. O. Box 7000 Miramichi, N.B. E1V 3N3	Telephone: (506) 627-4044 Fax: (506) 622-8802
MONCTON -	770 Main Street Assomption Plaza, 12th Floor P. O. Box 5001 Moncton, N.B. E1C 8R3	Telephone: (506) 856-2400 Fax: (506) 856-3296
NEGUAC -	Neguac Municipal Building 1175 Principale Street, Unit 60 Neguac, N.B. E9G 1T1	Telephone: (506) 776-3833 Fax: (506) 776-3849
PERTH-ANDOVER -	Health Sciences Centre 19 Station Street, Unit 1 Perth-Andover, N.B. E7H 4Y2	Telephone: (506) 273-4714 Fax: (506) 273-2195
RICHIBUCTO -	Place Cartier P. O. Box 5001 Richibucto, N.B. E4W 5R5	Telephone: (506) 523-7606 Fax: (506) 523-7663
SACKVILLE -	95 Queen Road, Unit B Sackville, N.B. E4L 4H2	Telephone: (506) 364-4078 Fax: (506) 364-4099
SAINT JOHN -	Mercantile Centre 55 Union Street, 15th Floor Saint John, N.B. E2L 5B7	Telephone: (506) 658-2734 Fax: (506) 658-3071
ST. GEORGE -	5 Riverview Avenue St. George, N.B. E5C 1G5	Telephone: (506) 755-4030 Fax: (506) 755-1807
ST. STEPHEN -	St. Stephen Regional Centre 41 King Street St. Stephen, N.B. E3L 2C1	Telephone: (506) 466-7388 Fax: (506) 466-7579

SHIPPAGAN - Paloma Building
137 6ième Street
Shippagan, N.B. E8S 1B3
Telephone: (506) 336-3044
Fax: (506) 336-3056

SUSSEX - 30 Moffett Avenue, Suite 1
Sussex, N.B. E4E 1E8
Telephone: (506) 432-2004
Fax: (506) 432-2053

TRACADIE-SHEILA - Place Tracadie
3514 Principale Street, 2nd Floor
P. O. Box 3638
Tracadie-Sheila, N.B. E1X 1C9
Telephone: (506) 394-3838
Fax: (506) 394-3844

WOODSTOCK - Bicentennial Building
200 King Street
P.O. Box 5001
Woodstock, N.B. E7M 5C6
Telephone: (506) 325-4412
Fax: (506) 325-4517

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE

Website: www.gnb.ca/0024/index-e.asp

Motor Vehicle Tax Refund for Disabled Persons

Upon the purchase of a motor vehicle in the Province of New Brunswick, the New Brunswick Government may refund the 8% provincial portion of the Harmonized Sales Tax (HST) or 14% Provincial Vehicle Tax (PVT) on private sale transactions for persons with disabilities if:

- the motor vehicle is specially equipped with a device to enable a wheelchair or scooter to enter or leave the passenger vehicle (i.e. hydraulic lifts); or
- the motor vehicle is specially equipped with auxiliary driving controls (does not include spinner knobs) that are used to facilitate the operation of the passenger vehicle; and
- the motor vehicle is not operated by any person for the purpose of earning a profit for any person or as part of any undertaking carried on for gain; and
- the claimant is not eligible for any other GST/HST credit or rebate related to this purchase.

Applications for refund of the 8% provincial portion of the Harmonized Sales Tax (HST), form #HST-R-02, or 14% Provincial Vehicle Tax (PVT) form #PVT-R-01, can be obtained at any Service New Brunswick Centre or by contacting the Revenue & Taxation Division, Department of Finance at (506) 453-2404.

Along with the application the claimant must submit the following **necessary supporting documents:**

- For refund of the 8% provincial portion of the Harmonized Sales Tax (HST):
  a) Copy of Bill of Sale and/or New Brunswick Tax Receipt;
  b) Proof that the motor vehicle is specially equipped with a device to enable a wheelchair or scooter to enter or leave the passenger vehicle; or
  c) Proof that motor vehicle is fitted with auxiliary driving controls that are used to facilitate the operation of the passenger vehicle, truck, or van;
  d) Letter from a medical practitioner certifying that the person is disabled.

- For refund of the 14% Provincial Vehicle Tax (PVT) on private sale transactions:
  a) Copy of Bill of Sale and New Brunswick Tax Receipt;
  b) Proof that motor vehicle is specially equipped with a device to enable a wheelchair or scooter to enter or leave the passenger vehicle; or
  c) Proof that motor vehicle is fitted with auxiliary driving controls that are used to facilitate the operation of the passenger vehicle, truck, or van;
  d) Letter from a medical practitioner certifying that the person is disabled.

Applications, along with supporting documents, can be mailed to:

Department of Finance
Revenue and Taxation Division, Refund Section
P.O. Box 3000
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 5G5

Inquiries on refund eligibility and/or criteria can be made to the Revenue and Taxation Division of the Department of Finance at (506) 453-2404.

Please note: Any inquiry on eligibility for obtaining a refund of the HST paid on adaptive equipment placed on such motor vehicles or the 6% portion of the Harmonized Sales Tax paid on the purchase of the motor vehicle must be made to the Canada Revenue Agency at (800) 959-5525.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Website: www.gnb.ca/0051/index-e.asp

Cleft Palate Program - The NB Cleft Palate Program is funded by the Department of Health and is administered by Medavie Blue Cross. The purpose is to provide financial assistance with the cost of authorized orthodontic work for children 0 to 19 years who have a cleft of the hard palate. Eligibility is income based. For further information contact Blue Cross at (888) 273-0666.

Congenital Anomalies Surveillance - This surveillance is coordinated through the Vital Statistics Office and family physicians. Specialized services are offered to prevent further disabilities and to develop appropriate plans for care.

Hospital Services - Hospital care is available to entitled residents of New Brunswick through either in-patient or out-patient services at a traditional hospital, or through at-home services provided by the ***New Brunswick Extra-Mural Program*** (see listing on page 32). Admission to a hospital is authorized by a physician. A variety of rehabilitation services are available at hospitals, as well as at the Stan Cassidy Centre for Rehabilitation and the New Brunswick Extra-Mural Program. Programs in alcoholism as well as drug and other dependencies are provided which include prevention and treatment programs. These programs are targeted to all age groups.

Medicare - Medicare is a government-funded program available to entitled residents of New Brunswick which pays the costs of most medically required services provided by a physician in either a physician's office or in an approved hospital and certain specific surgical-dental procedures provided by a dentist when the service is medically required and rendered in an approved hospital.

Newborn Screening Program - All babies born in New Brunswick hospitals are screened for two possible congenital disorders: phenylketonuria (PKU) and hypothyroidism.

Prescription Drug Program - This program provides prescription drug benefits to eligible residents of New Brunswick. The program is targeted to those with a demonstrated medical and financial need. There are several individual drug plans, each designed to meet the needs of individuals who are:

- New Brunswick residents who are 65 years of age or older who are in receipt of the Guaranteed Income Supplement (GIS) or who qualify based on an annual income;
- Residents of a licensed Nursing Home;
- Children in care of the Minister of Family and Community Services;
- Clients holding a health card for prescription drugs issued by the Department of Family and Community Services;

- SPECIALTY PLANS: Organ transplant recipients, persons with growth hormone deficiency, persons with cystic fibrosis, persons who are HIV positive and persons with MS who are **registered and deemed eligible**.

Co-payment Charges:

- GIS Seniors pay a co-payment charge of $9.05 per prescription;
- Seniors in receipt of Guaranteed Income Supplement pay up to an annual co-payment ceiling of $250;
- Residents of a Nursing Home and Children in care of the Minister are exempt from co-payment charges;
- Beneficiaries of Family & Community Services: co-payment of $4 per prescription for adults (18 and over) and $2 for children (under 18 years) up to an annual co-payment ceiling of $250 per family unit;
- SPECIALTY PLANS: yearly registration fee of $50 plus a co-payment equal to the lesser of $20 or 20% per prescription up to an annual co-payment ceiling of $500 per family unit.
- MS: beneficiaries co-payment depends on household income and is based on a sliding scale;
- Seniors who qualify via income test pay a co-payment charge of $15.00 per prescription.

If a person is covered and entitled to benefits under another contract or an insurance plan, they are not eligible to receive the same benefits under the Prescription Drug Program.

Specific details are available by contacting Blue Cross at (800) 332-3692.

Renal Dialysis Home Program - This program provides home dialysis equipment, supplies and drugs and appropriate training in the use of equipment to those with kidney failure. Further information is available through family physicians.

Seniors' Rehabilitative Equipment Program - This program provides standard and specialized recyclable equipment on loan to aid functional capacity for everyday living and to maintain seniors' ability to remain in the community. Some equipment may be at times in short supply, depending on the demand.

Mobility equipment is also provided to seniors over 65 in nursing homes.

MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES

Carleton Place, 5th Floor
P. O. Box 5100
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 5G8

Telephone: (506) 453-3888
Fax: (506) 453-5243
Website: www.gnb.ca/0051/index-e.asp

The overall mission of the Mental Health Services is to improve, restore and/or maintain the mental health and emotional well-being of the citizens of New Brunswick.

This is accomplished through providing promotion/prevention, treatment, rehabilitation and maintenance programs. All programs focus on the individual and ensure individual and community involvement.

Services are available through a range of informal and formal services. Informal services include self-help groups and activity centres. Formal services include 13 community mental health centres servicing children & adolescents, adults and seniors, nine psychiatric units and two psychiatric hospitals.

For further information, contact the Mental Health Services or the local Community Mental Health Centre:

REGION I

- Community Mental Health Centre
P. O. Box 5001 (Place Cartier)
Richibucto, N.B. E4W 5R5
Telephone: (506) 523-7620
Fax: (506) 523-7678

- Community Mental Health Centre
McLean Spear Building, 4th Floor
P. O. Box 5001 (81 Albert Street)
Moncton, N.B. E1C 1B3
Telephone: (506) 856-2444
Fax: (506) 856-2995

- Psychiatric Unit
The Moncton Hospital
135 MacBeath Avenue
Moncton, N.B. E1C 6Z8
Telephone: (506) 857-5240
Fax: (506) 857-5491

- Psychiatric Unit
Dr. Georges L. Dumont Hospital
330 Université Avenue
Moncton, N.B. E1C 2Z3
Telephone: (506) 862-4177
Fax: (506) 862-4325

- CMHC (Satellite Clinic)
95 Queen Road, Unit A
Sackville, N.B. E4L 4H2
Telephone: (506) 364-4082
Fax: (506) 364-4099

- CMHC (Satellite Clinic)
Mall Centre Ville
342 Main Street, Unit 160
Shédiac, N.B. E4P 2E7
Telephone: (506) 533-3354
Fax: (506) 533-3376

REGION II

- Community Mental Health Centre
55 Union Street, 3rd Floor
Saint John, N.B. E2L 5B7
Telephone: (506) 658-3737
Fax: (506) 658-3739
E-mail: chamo@reg2.health.nb.ca

- Community Mental Health Centre Telephone: (506) 432-2090
  30 Moffett Avenue (Sussex Health Centre) Fax: (506) 432-2046
  Room 2
  Sussex, N.B. E4E 1E8

- Community Mental Health Centre Telephone: (506) 466-7380
  St. Stephen Regional Centre Fax: (506) 466-7501
  41 King Street
  St. Stephen, N.B. E3L 2C1

- Centracare Saint John, Inc. Telephone: (506) 649-2550
  P. O. Box 3220, Station B (414 Bay Street) Fax: (506) 649-2520
  Saint John, N.B. E2M 4H7

- Psychiatric Unit Telephone: (506) 648-6478
  Saint John Regional Hospital Fax: (506) 648-6060
  P. O. Box 2100 (University Avenue) or (506) 635-1614
  Saint John, N.B. E2L 4L2

- CMHC (Satellite Clinic) Telephone: (506) 755-4044
  5 Riverview Avenue Fax: (506) 755-1807
  St. George, N.B. E5C 3M1

- CMHC (Satellite Clinic) Telephone: (506) 662-7023
  North Head Business Centre Fax: (506) 662-7029
  130 Route 776, Room 4, Unit 3
  Grand Manan, N.B. E5G 1A3

REGION III

- Community Mental Health Centre Telephone: (506) 453-2132
  P.O. Box 5001 (Adult Services)
  65 Brunswick Street (506) 453-5337
  Fredericton, N.B. E3B 5G6 (Child & Fam.)
  Fax: (506) 453-8766

- Community Mental Health Centre Telephone: (506) 325-4419
  200 King St., Bi-Centennial Place Fax: (506) 328-4802
  Room 217
  P.O. Box 5001
  Woodstock, N.B. E7M 5C6

- Psychiatric Unit Telephone: (506) 452-5231
  Dr. Everett Chalmers Hospital Fax: (506) 452-5847
  P. O. Box 9000 (Priestman Street)
  Fredericton, N.B. E3B 5N5

- CMHC (Satellite Clinic)
Health Sciences Centre
19 Station Street, Unit 2
Perth-Andover, N.B. E7H 4Y2
Telephone: (506) 273-4701
Fax: (506) 273-4728

REGION IV - Community Mental Health Centre
P. O. Box 5001
121 de l'Église Street, Suite 331
Edmundston, N.B. E3V 3L3
Telephone: (506) 735-2070
Fax: (506) 737-4448

- Community Mental Health Centre
P. O. Box 5001 (131 Pleasant Street)
Grand Falls Municipal Complex
Grand Falls, N.B. E3Z 1G1
Telephone: (506) 475-2440
Fax: (506) 475-2452

- Psychiatric Unit
Edmundston Regional Hospital
275 Hébert Boulevard (P.O. Box 520)
Edmundston, N.B. E3V 4E4
Telephone: (506) 739-2571
Fax: (506) 739-2438

REGION V - Community Mental Health Centre
6 Arran Street, 2nd Floor
Campbellton, N.B. E3N 1K4
Telephone: (506) 789-2440
Fax: (506) 753-6969

- CMHC (Satellite Clinic)
39 Notre Dame Street
Kedgwick, N.B. E8B 1H5
Telephone: (506) 284-3431
Fax: (506) 284-3426

- Psychiatric Unit
Campbellton Regional Hospital
P. O. Box 880 (189 Lily Lake Road)
Campbellton, N.B. E3N 3H3
Telephone: (506) 789-5000
Fax: (506) 789-5025

REGION VI - Community Mental Health Centre
165 St. Andrews Street
P.O. Box 5001
Bathurst, N.B. E2A 1C1
Telephone: (506) 547-2038
Fax: (506) 547-2978

- Community Mental Health Centre
Place de l'Acadie
P. O. Box 5590 (295 St. Pierre Blvd West)
Caraquet, N.B. E1W 1B7
Telephone: (506) 726-2030
Fax: (506) 726-2090

- CMHC (Satellite Clinic)
239 JD Gauthier Blvd.
Shippagan, N.B. E8S 1N2
Telephone: (506) 336-3367
Fax: (506) 336-3366

- CMHC (Satellite Clinic)
3520 Principale Street
Tracadie-Sheila, N.B. E1X 1C9
Telephone: (506) 394-3760
Fax: (506) 394-3770

- Psychiatric Unit
Chaleur Regional Hospital
1750 Sunset Drive
Bathurst, N.B. E2A 4L7
Telephone: (506) 544-3662
Fax: (506) 545-2326

REGION VII - Community Mental Health Centre
1780 Water Street, Suite 300
Miramichi, N.B. E1N 1B6
Telephone: (506) 778-6111
Fax: (506) 778-5296

- Psychiatric Unit
Miramichi Regional Hospital
500 Water Street
Miramichi, N.B. E1V 3G5
Telephone: (506) 623-3195
Fax: (506) 623-6194

ACTIVITY CENTRES

REGION I - Centre d'Activité Mieux Êtres
P.O. Box 5001
Richibucto, N.B. E4W 5R5
Contact: Linda Bastarache
Telephone: (506) 523-7613
Fax: (506) 523-7678
E-mail: lindabab@nbnet.nb.ca

- Our Place/Chez Nous Activity Centre
30 Gordon Street, Suite 104
P.O. Box 11
Moncton, N.B. E1C 5V8
Contact: Carmel Fitch
Telephone: (506) 859-6975
Fax: (506) 859-9581

- Our Voice/Notre Voix
P.O. Box 29004
Moncton, N.B. E1G 4R3
Contact: Eugène LeBlanc
Fax: (506) 854-5532
E-mail: ovnvletters@nb.aibn.com
Website: www.ourvoice-notrevoix.com

- Groupe de support émotionnel inc.
P.O. Box 4189
Dieppe, N.B. E1A 6E8
Contact: Eugène LeBlanc
Telephone: (506) 857-1340
Fax: (506) 854-5532

- Caledonia Activity Centre
5295 Route 114
Hopewell Hill, N.B. E4H 3M7
Contact: Tracy O'Hara
Telephone: (506) 882-2907
Fax: (506) 882-2884

- Daybreak Activity Centre
P.O. Box 6423
Sackville, N.B. E4L 1G6
Contact: Melody Petlock
Telephone: (506) 536-7475
E-mail: mpetlock@mta.ca

- Shediac Activity Centre
P.O. Box 9053
Shédiac, N.B. E4P 8W5
Contact: Alice LeBlanc
Telephone: (506) 531-5691
E-mail: aliceleblanc454@msn.com

- Centre Alliance Center
P.O. Box 9053
Shédiac, N.B. E4P 8W5
Contact: Alice LeBlanc
Telephone: (506) 531-5691
E-mail: aliceleblanc454@msn.com

REGION II - Sussex and Area Activity Centre
530 "A" Main Street
Sussex, N.B. E4E 2S4
Contact: Davine McLean
Telephone: (506) 433-1828
Fax: (506) 433-3001
E-mail: saac@nb.aibn.com

- Charlotte County Activity Centre
P.O. Box 383
St. Stephen, N.B. E3L 2X3
Contact: Marianne Breault or Katheryn May
Telephone: (506) 465-7667
Fax: (506) 466-7501
E-mail: ccacss@nb.aibn.com

- S.H.A.R.E. Activity Centre Inc.
44 Peters Street
Saint John, N.B. E2L 2Z9
Contact: Elaine Hooper
Telephone: (506) 658-9830
Fax: (506) 657-8293
E-mail: JEVL@nbnet.nb.ca

REGION III - Friends & Fellowship
65 Brunswick Street
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 1G5
Contact: Carmelle Thibodeau
Telephone: (506) 454-6057
Fax: (506) 454-6053
E-mail: fellow@nbnet.nb.ca

- Prime Time Pals
P.O. Box 5001
Woodstock, N.B. E7M 5C6
Contact: Lori Young, Program Director
Telephone: (506) 328-0882
Fax: (506) 325-4610

REGION IV - Centre d'Activité la Source
65 Broadway Boulevard
Suite 100
Grand Falls, N.B. E3Z 2J6
Contact: Yolande Cyr
Telephone: (506) 473-9801
Fax: (506) 473-3498
E-mail: yolandecyr70@hotmail.com

- Centre Horizon Centre
506 l'Église Street
Saint-André, N.B. E3Y 2Y6
Contact: Susan Martin
Telephone: (506) 473-5746
Fax: (506) 473-5369
E-mail: centrehorizon@nb.aibn.com
Grand Falls area Affiliate of Canadian Mental Health Association.

- Centre d'Activité le Lien
37 Michaud Street
Edmundston, N.B. E3V 1X2
Contact: Wilda Landry
Telephone: (506) 739-7789
Fax: (506) 736-6009

- Réseau NB Network
37 Michaud Street
Edmundston, N.B. E3V 1X2
Contact: Nancy Cyr
Telephone: (506) 735-4442
Fax: (506) 736-6009

- L'Espoir
156D Principale Street
Sainte-Anne-de-Madawaska, N.B.
E7E 1B8
Contact: Linda Godin
Telephone: (506) 445-2348
Fax: (506) 445-2323

REGION V - Centre d'Activité Rendez-Vous
P.O. Box 412
1 Adam Street
Campbellton, N.B. E3N 3G7
Contact: Jessica Letourneau
Telephone: (506) 759-7454
Fax: (506) 753-7928
E-mail: mhcnc@nb.aibn.com

- Centre d'Activités les Copains
410 William Street, Unit 21
Dalhousie, N.B. E8C 2X4
Contact: Joël LeClair
Telephone: (506) 684-2972
Fax: (506) 684-2909
E-mail: copain@nb.aibn.com

-Centre d'Activité la Ressource
10B Patrick Jean Street
Saint-Quentin, N.B. E8A 1X9
Contact: Brigitte Roy
Telephone: (506) 235-9165
Fax: (506) 235-1995
E-mail: laressource@nb.aibn.com

REGION VI - Centre d'Activité Idéal
P.O. Box 1173
Bathurst, N.B. E2A 4H9
Contact: Léa Chamberlain
Telephone: (506) 548-6110
Fax: (506) 544-9012

- Centre d'Activité le Contact
25 St. Pierre Boulevard West
Local 57
Caraquet, N.B. E1W 1B8
Contact: Monique Mazerolle
Telephone: (506) 727-3645
Fax: (506) 727-1881
E-mail: mmazer@nb.aibn.com

- Centre Activités l'Envol
170, 10th Street, Unit 2
Shippagan, N.B. E8S 1B9
Contact: Raymonde Gionet
Telephone: (506) 336-4566
Fax: (506) 336-2246
E-mail: lenvoldeshippagan@msn.com
Closed at lunchtime and on Wednesdays.

- Centre d'Activité l'Échange
P.O. Box 3182, Stn. Main
Tracadie-Sheila, N.B. E1X 1G5
Contact: Edouardine Boudreau
Telephone: (506) 393-7460
Fax: (506) 395-9184

REGION VII - Caring Friends Activity Centre
24 Princess Street
Miramichi, N.B. E1N 2K2
Contact: Beatrice Loggie
Telephone: (506) 778-6680
Fax: (506) 778-5296

- Centre d'Activité Alnwick
732 Principale Street
Neguac, N.B. E9G 1N4
Contact: Sylvette Rousselle
Telephone: (506) 776-3889
Fax: (506) 776-3889
E-mail: centrealnwick@nb.aibn.com

NEW BRUNSWICK EXTRA-MURAL PROGRAM

Website: www.gnb.ca/0384/en/index.htm

The mission of the EMP is:
"to provide a comprehensive range of coordinated healthcare services for individuals of all ages for the purpose of promoting, maintaining and/or restoring health within the context of their daily lives and to provide palliative services to support quality end of life care for individuals with progressive life threatening illnesses".

This mission is accomplished through the provision of a basket of services, including acute care, palliative care, long term care, rehabilitation and home oxygen therapy. Professional services include physicians, nursing, occupational therapy, physiotherapy, speech language pathology, respiratory therapy, social work and clinical dietetics.

Thirty service delivery sites in New Brunswick provide EMP services on a 24/7, 365 days basis through actual nursing shifts or, at a minimum, the on-call services of a nurse. EMP provides short term personal support services on a purchased service basis when required.

This funding is used primarily with palliative care patients to enhance and support the informal support network in the last weeks of the patient's life and with short term acute care patients.

Home support services required on a long term basis are accessed through the single entry point assessment program and are funded through the Department of Family and Community Services.

All residents of New Brunswick are eligible for home healthcare services. A physician referral is required for services with the physician acting as attending physician with the exception of rehabilitation services in which direct referrals from self/family/others are accepted. Physician involvement has been a critical factor in the overall success of the Program.

EMP services are delivered according to provincial clinical policy and procedures to ensure the provision of consistent quality home health care services throughout the province. All professions have established preferred practices.

REGION 1 Beauséjour (French) **Contact: Rino Lang**

Blanche Bourgeois Unit
RHA Beauséjour
35 Providence Street
Moncton, N.B. E1C 8X3
Telephone: (506) 862-4400
Fax: (506) 862-4415

Shediac Unit
423 Main Street
Shediac, N.B. E4P 2B6
Telephone: (506) 533-2800
Fax: (506) 533-2804

Shediac - Kent Sub-Unit
7714 Route 134
General Delivery
Sainte-Anne-de-Kent, N.B. E4S 1H5
Telephone: (506) 743-2000
Fax: (506) 743-2001

REGION 1 South East (English) **Contact: Terry Morrissey**

Driscoll Unit
1600 Main St., Unit 107
Moncton, N.B. E1E 1G5
Telephone: (506) 867-6500
Fax: (506) 867-6509

Tantramar Sub-Unit
8 Main Street
Sackville, N.B. E4L 4A3
Telephone: (506) 364-4400
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REGION 2

Contact: Sue Ness

Saint John Unit
1490 Manawagonish Road
Saint John, N.B. E2M 3Y4
Telephone: (506) 649-2626
Fax: (506) 649-2540

Kennebecasis Valley Unit
P. O. Box 21025 (175 Old Hampton Highway)
Quispamsis, N.B. E2E 4Z4
Telephone: (506) 848-4600
Fax: (506) 848-4620

St. Stephen Unit
73 Milltown Boulevard, Suite 100
St. Stephen, N.B. E3L 1G5
Telephone: (506) 465-4520
Fax: (506) 465-4523

St. Stephen Unit - Eastern Charlotte Office
124 Main Street, Suite 401
St. George, N.B. E5C 3S3
Telephone: (506) 755-4660
Fax: (506) 755-4665

St. Stephen Unit - Campobello Office
640, Route 774
Welshpool
Campobello Island, N.B. E5E 1A5
Telephone: (506) 752-4110
Fax: (506) 752-4106

St. Stephen Unit - Grand Manan Office
Grand Manan Hospital
196 Route 776
Grand Manan, N.B. E5G 1A3
Telephone: (506) 662-4055
Fax: (506) 662-4054

Sussex Unit
Health Sciences Complex
20 Kennedy Drive, Suite 4
Sussex, N.B. E4E 2P1
Telephone: (506) 432-3280
Fax: (506) 432-3250

REGION 3

Contact: Christine DeJong

Fredericton Unit
700 Priestman Street
P. O. Box 9000
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 5N5
Telephone: (506) 452-5800
Fax: (506) 452-5858

Fredericton Unit - Boiestown Office
700 Priestman Street
P.O. Box 9000
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 5N5
Telephone: (506) 369-2711
Fax: (506) 369-2722

Fredericton Unit - Harvey Office
700 Priestman Street
P. O. Box 9000
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 5N5
Telephone: (506) 366-6434
Fax: (506) 366-6443

Oromocto Unit
275A Restigouche Road
Oromocto, N.B. E2V 2H1
Telephone: (506) 357-4900
Fax: (506) 357-4904

Oromocto Unit - Minto Office
c/o Oromocto Unit
275A Restigouche Road
Oromocto, N.B. E2V 2H1
Telephone: (506) 327-7866
Fax: (506) 327-7869

Woodstock Unit
Nurses' Residence
787 Main Street, Unit 310
Woodstock, N.B. E7M 2E9
Telephone: (506) 325-6838
Fax: (506) 325-6862

Woodstock Unit - Perth-Andover Sub-Unit
500 East Riverside Drive
Unit 2
Perth-Andover, N.B. E7H 1Z1
Telephone: (506) 273-7222
Fax: (506) 273-7220

REGION 4

Contact: Carlene Pelletier

Edmundston Unit
275 Hébert Boulevard, 4th Floor
Edmundston, N.B. E3V 4E4
Telephone: (506) 739-2160
Fax: (506) 739-2163

Grand Falls Unit
532 Madawaska Road
Grand Falls, N.B. E3Y 1A3
Telephone: (506) 473-7492
Fax: (506) 473-7476

Grand Falls Unit - Kedgwick Office
P. O. Box 1002
Kedgwick, N.B. E8B 1Z7
Telephone: (506) 284-3444
Fax: (506) 284-3446

REGION 5

Contact: Claire Dennie

Restigouche Unit
280 Victoria Street, Unit 2
Dalhousie, N.B. E8C 2R6
Telephone: (506) 684-7060
Fax: (506) 684-7334

REGION 6 **Contact: Norma McGraw**

Bathurst Unit
1750 Sunset Drive
Bathurst, N.B. E2A 4L7
Telephone: (506) 544-3030
Fax: (506) 544-3029

Acadian Peninsula Unit - Tracadie Office
400 Hospitalières Street
P.O. Box 3180, Station Main
Tracadie-Sheila, N.B. E1X 1G5
Telephone: (506) 394-4100
Fax: (506) 394-4117

Acadian Peninsula Unit - Caraquet Office
P.O. Box 5752
Caraquet, N.B. E1W 1B7
Telephone: (506) 726-2800
Fax: (506) 726-2808

Acadian Peninsula Unit - Lamèque Office
29 de l'Hôpital Street
Lamèque, N.B. E8T 1C5
Telephone: (506) 344-3000
Fax: (506) 344-3001

REGION 7 **Contact: Joanne Sonier**

Miramichi Unit
500 Water Street
Miramichi, N.B. E1V 3G5
Telephone: (506) 623-6350
Fax: (506) 623-6370

Miramichi Unit - Blackville Office
500 Water Street
Miramichi, N.B. E1V 3G5
Telephone: (506) 623-6312
Fax: (506) 623-6370

Miramichi Unit - Neguac Office
500 Water Street
Miramichi, N.B. E1V 3G5
Telephone: (506) 623-6311
Fax: (506) 623-6370

PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICES

Website: www.gnb.ca/0053

Childhood Immunization Program (Children 1-16 years of age) - This program provides protection against many childhood, vaccine-preventable diseases. Routine immunizations are offered to children by Public Health Nurses in Pediatric Immunization Clinics and to 16 year olds at school, and via physicians through their office. The Victorian Order of Nurses provide hepatitis B immunization to all Grade four students in the school setting.

Dental Health Activities - These activities focus primarily on reducing the incidence of dental disease and improving the level of oral hygiene among elementary school children. A principal component is a weekly fluoride mouth rinse program for all children in grades 1-6.

Early Childhood Initiatives - This program is designed to help parents give their children the best start in life, to grow strong and healthy in a healthy family. The Public Health components of the program include:

Prenatal - Services include prenatal screening to identify those pregnant women most in need, education and counseling to address specific needs, and nutrition supplementation, as necessary.

Postnatal - Services to children 0 to 5 years of age include screening of all newborns and their families to identify those infants who are most at-risk of developmental delay, education and counseling to address specific needs and nutrition supplementation.

3.5 Year Old Health Clinic - All 3.5 year old children and their families are invited to attend a 3.5 Year Old Health Clinic. Services include a comprehensive health assessment of a child's vision, hearing, speech/language, general physical growth and development, safety, nutrition, immunization status, and behaviour. In collaboration with the family, referrals to various health providers are made based on the results of these assessments.

International Travellers' Clinics - Education, counseling and immunizations are provided to international travellers by nurses of the VON. There is a fee for the immunizations provided at these clinics. Please call for an appointment well in advance of your planned departure date.

Nutrition Services - Nutrition information is available through the public health office.

School Health - Limited health consultation referrals and counseling are offered by public health nurses who visit schools on a periodic basis.

Sexual Health Centres - The Sexual Health Program was established to help prevent unplanned pregnancies among adolescents and young, single adults. Under the program, the Public Health offers education, counseling and clinical services in birth control, sexually transmitted diseases and human sexuality.

Information regarding any of the aforementioned programs is available from the following **public health** offices:

REGION I - MONCTON
81 Albert Street
P. O. Box 5001
Moncton, N.B. E1C 8R3
Telephone: (506) 856-2401
Fax: (506) 856-2623

REGION II - SAINT JOHN
55 Union Street, 5th Floor
P. O. Box 93
Saint John, N.B. E2L 3X1
Telephone: (506) 658-2454
Fax: (506) 658-3067

REGION III - FREDERICTON
Fredericton Regional Centre
300 St. Mary's Street, Room 202
P. O. Box 5001
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 5G4
Telephone: (506) 453-2830
Fax: (506) 453-2848

REGION IV - EDMUNDSTON
121 de l'Église Street, Suite 330
P. O. Box 5001
Edmundston, N.B. E3V 3L3
Telephone: (506) 735-2065
Fax: (506) 735-3142

REGION V - CAMPBELLTON
Campbellton Regional Centre
6 Arran Street, 1st Floor
Campbellton, N.B. E3N 1K4
Telephone: (506) 789-2266
Fax: (506) 789-2349

REGION VI - BATHURST
165 St. Andrew Street
P.O. Box 5001
Bathurst, N.B. E2A 3Z9
Telephone: (506) 547-2062
Fax: (506) 547-7459

REGION VII - MIRAMICHI
Chatham Town Centre, Room 300
1780 Water Street
Miramichi, N.B. E1N 1B6
Telephone: (506) 778-6102
Fax: (506) 773-6611

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

The Department of Public Safety offers the following:

Parking Placards for persons with a disability are issued to qualifying persons so as they can park a vehicle in designated areas. Application is required and verification from a physician, physiotherapist or occupational therapist may be required.

Service New Brunswick TeleServices takes applications by phone for Parking Placards for persons with disabilities toll free at (888) 762-8600. The application form is also available online through SNB's website.

TeleServices
Toll Free: (888) 762-8600, Outside Province (506) 684-7901
E-mail: snb@snb.ca
Website: www.snb.ca

Please call your local Service New Brunswick office for its hours of operation. For further information, contact Service New Brunswick at the following locations:

BATHURST - 161 Main Street
P.O. Box 5001
Bathurst, N.B. E2A 3Z9
Telephone: (506) 547-2077
Fax: (506) 547-7413

BOUCTOUCHE - Place LeBourg
193 Irving Boulevard, Suite 13
Bouctouche, N.B. E4S 3K4
Telephone: (506) 743-7289
Fax: (506) 743-5511

BRISTOL - Bristol Commercial Centre
9172 Main Street, Unit 1
Bristol, N.B. E7L 2A8
Telephone: (506) 392-5108
Fax: (506) 392-5084

BURTON - Burton Courthouse
23 Route 102 Highway
P.O. Box 80
Burton, N.B. E2V 2G4
Telephone: (506) 357-4083
Fax: (506) 357-4090

CAMPBELLTON - City Center Mall
157 Water Street
P. O. Box 5001
Campbellton, N.B. E3N 3H5
Telephone: (506) 789-2300
Fax: (506) 789-1281

CARAQUET -	Place Caraquet 3-443 St. Pierre Boulevard West Caraquet, N.B. E1W 1A3	Telephone: (506) 727-7013 Fax: (506) 727-7016
CHIPMAN -	Town Hall 10 Civic Court P.O. Box 75 Chipman, N.B. E4A 2H9	Telephone: (506) 339-7035 Fax: (506) 339-7074
DALHOUSIE -	The Promenade 4-410 William Street Dalhousie, N.B. E8C 2X4	Telephone: (506) 684-7566 Fax: (506) 684-7525
DOAKTOWN -	Hovey Building 340 Main Street Doaktown, N.B. E9C 1E3	Telephone: (506) 365-2005 Fax: (506) 365-2044
EDMUNDSTON -	Carrefour Assomption 121 de l'Église Street, Room 219 P.O. Box 5001 Edmundston, N.B. E3V 3L3	Telephone: (506) 735-2085 Fax: (506) 735-2086
FREDERICTON -	City Centre 432 Queen Street P.O. Box 1998 Fredericton, N.B. E3B 5G4	Telephone: (506) 453-2834 Fax: (506) 444-4253
GAGETOWN -	Registry Office Building 68 Front Street Gagetown, N.B. E5M 1A1	Telephone: (506) 488-3513 Fax: (506) 488-3504
GRAND FALLS -	Grand Falls Municipal Building 131 Pleasant St., Suite 202 P.O. Box 5001 Grand Falls, N.B. E3Z 1G1	Telephone: (506) 473-7708 Fax: (506) 473-7709
GRAND MANAN -	Provincial Building 582 Route 776 P.O. Box 1303 Grand Manan, N.B. E5G 4M9	Telephone: (506) 622-7020 Fax: (506) 622-7045
HAMPTON -	410 William Bell Drive Unit 1 P.O. Box 1040 Hampton, N.B. E5N 8H1	Telephone: (506) 832-6003 Fax: (506) 832-6109

HOPEWELL CAPE - Municipal Building
3936 Route 114
Hopewell Cape, N.B. E4H 3J8
Telephone: (506) 734-2395
Fax: (506) 734-3057

KEDGWICK - 39 Notre Dame Street
Unit C
Kedgwick, N.B. E8B 1H5
Telephone: (506) 284-3400
Fax: (506) 284-3401

MCADAM - Village Hall
146 Saunders Road
McAdam, N.B. E6J 1L2
Telephone: (506) 784-6809
Fax: (506) 784-6800

MIRAMICHI EAST - (Chatham) Chatham Town Centre
1780 Water Street, Suite 207
Miramichi, N.B. E1N 1B6
Telephone: (506) 778-6023
Fax: (506) 778-6197

MIRAMICHI WEST - (Newcastle) Castle Square West
360 Pleasant Street
Miramichi, N.B. E1V 2N3
Telephone: (506) 627-4040
Fax: (506) 627-4509

MONCTON - Assomption Building
770 Main Street
P.O. Box 5001
Moncton, N.B. E1C 8R3
Telephone: (506) 856-2204
Fax: (506) 856-2987

PERTH ANDOVER - Perth-Andover Court House
1135 West Riverside Drive
Perth Andover, N.B. E7H 5G5
Telephone: (506) 273-4718
Fax: (506) 273-4699

PLASTER ROCK - 139 Main Street
Plaster Rock, N.B. E7G 2H2
Telephone: (506) 356-6002
Fax: (506) 356-6008

PORT ELGIN - Village Hall
41 East Main Street
Port Elgin, N.B. E4M 2X8
Telephone: (506) 538-2101
Fax: (506) 364-4097

RICHIBUCTO - Newstart Building
9239 Main Street
P.O. Box 5001
Richibucto, N.B. E4W 5R5
Telephone: (506) 523-7610
Fax: (506) 523-7629

SACKVILLE - Main Plaza
170 Main Street, Unit C2
Sackville, N.B. E4L 4B4
Telephone: (506) 364-4076
Fax: (506) 364-4097

SAINT JOHN - 15 King's Square North
P.O. Box 5001
Saint John, N.B. E2L 4Y9
Telephone: (506) 658-2500
Fax: (506) 658-3995

SAINT LÉONARD - Martin Building
649 Principale Street
Saint-Léonard, N.B. E7E 2J4
Telephone: (506) 423-3030
Fax: (506) 423-3009

SHÉDIAC - City Centre Mall
342 Main Street, Unit 147
Shédiac, N.B. E4P 2E7
Telephone: (506) 533-3330
Fax: (506) 533-3339

SHIPPAGAN - 185B 1re Street
Shippagan, N.B. E8S 1S8
Telephone: (506) 336-3017
Fax: (506) 336-3072

ST. GEORGE - 242 Main Street
Upper Letang, N.B. E5C 3V1
Telephone: (506) 755-4004
Fax: (506) 755-4091

SAINT-QUENTIN - Provincial Building
249 Canada Street
Saint-Quentin, N.B. E8A 1K2
Telephone: (506) 235-6004
Fax: (506) 235-6042

ST. STEPHEN - Ganong Place
73 Milltown Boulevard
St. Stephen, N.B. E3L 1G5
Telephone: (506) 466-7335
Fax: (506) 466-7358

SUSSEX - NB Power Building
90 Leonard Drive
Sussex, N.B. E4E 2R3
Telephone: (506) 432-2002
Fax: (506) 432-2122

TRACADIE-SHEILA - Place du Moulin
447 du Moulin Street
Tracadie-Sheila, N.B. E1X 1A4
Telephone: (506) 394-3711
Fax: (506) 394-3713

WOODSTOCK - Bicentennial Place
200 King Street, Room 100
P.O. Box 5001
Woodstock, N.B. E7M 5C6
Telephone: (506) 325-4476
Fax: (506) 325-4482

DEPARTMENT OF POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION, TRAINING AND LABOUR

Employment Services for Persons with Disabilities

470 York Street
P.O. Box 6000
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 5H1

Telephone: (506) 462-5198
Fax: (506) 453-2148

Employment Services for Persons with Disabilities is a system that assists job-ready persons with disabilities to acquire employment with employers seeking workers with the skills and experience they possess. This branch maintains Employment Services for Persons with Disabilities.

The regional offices' responsibilities include but are not limited to employment counseling for persons with disabilities as well as the employment programs, Work Ability and Work Force Expansion.

For further information about employment programs, case management or general inquiries; please contact your Regional Office:

CAMPBELLTON- 157 Water Street
Main Floor, Suite 100
Campbellton, N.B. E3N 3L4
Telephone: (506) 789-2411

Bathurst Office:
275 Main Street, Suite 300
P.O. Box 5001
Bathurst, N.B. E2A 3Z9
Telephone: (506) 549-5766

CARAQUET - Place Bellevue
P.O. Box 5644
20-E West St-Pierre Boulevard
Caraquet, N.B. E1W 1B7
Telephone: (506) 726-2639

Shippagan Office:
182 J.D. Gauthier Blvd.
Shippagan, N.B. E8S 1P2
Telephone: (506) 726-2639
Tracadie-Sheila Office:
3514 Principal Street, 2nd Floor
Tracadie-Sheila, N.B. E1X 1C9
Telephone: (506) 726-2639

EDMUNDSTON - 121 de l’Église Street, Suite 308
Carrefour Assomption
P.O. Box 5001
Edmundston, N.B. E3V 3L3
Telephone: (506) 735-2677

Grand Falls Office:
160 Réservoir Street
P.O. Box 5001
Grand Falls, N.B. E3Z 1G1
Telephone: (506) 475-4025

FREDERICTON - 633 Queen Street
P.O. Box 6000
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 5H1
Telephone: (506) 453-2377

Perth-Andover Office:
588E East Riverside Drive
Perth-Andover, N.B. E7H 1Z5
Telephone: (506) 273-4559

Woodstock Office:
680 Main St., Unit 1
Woodstock, N.B. E7M 5Z9
Telephone: (506) 325-4406

MIRAMICHI - 152 Pleasant Street
P.O. Box 6000
Miramichi, N.B. E1V 3N3
Telephone: (506) 627-4000

Neguac Office:
430 Principale Street
P.O. Box 5001
Neguac, N.B. E9G 1H5
Telephone: (506) 627-4000

MONCTON - 770 Main Street, 4th Floor
Assomption Place
P.O. Box 5001
Moncton, N.B. E1C 8R3
Telephone: (506) 869-6944

Richibucto Office:
25 Cartier Boulevard
P.O. Box 5004
Richibucto, N.B. E4W 5R6
Telephone: (506) 523-7612

Shediac Office:
342 Main Street
Centre Ville Mall, Unit 144
Shediac, N.B. E4P 2E7
Telephone: (506) 869-6944

Sackville Office:
170 Main Street, Unit C-1
Sackville, N.B. E4L 4B4
Telephone: (506) 869-6944

SAINT JOHN - 1 Agar Place
P.O. Box 5001
Saint John, N.B. E2L 4Y9
Telephone: (506) 643-7258

St. Stephen Office:
93 Milltown Blvd.
St. Stephen, N.B. E3L 3B4
Telephone: (506) 466-7627

Sussex Office:
707 Main Street
Sussex, N.B. E4E 7H7
Telephone: (506) 432-2110

NEW BRUNSWICK COMMUNITY COLLEGES

Website: www.nbcc.nb.ca

The Department of Post-Secondary Education, Training and Labour has also been working actively to improve access to community college facilities and programs by persons with disabilities. For further information, please contact Student Services at the campus in your area.

ACADIEN PENINSULA - CCNB—Péninsule acadienne
232-A de l'Église Avenue
Shippagan, N.B. E8S 1J2
Contact: Lorisse Arsenault
Telephone: (506) 336-3073
Fax: (506) 336-3075
E-mail: info.ccnb_pa@gnb.ca
Website: www.peninsuleacadienne.ccnb.nb.ca

BATHURST - CCNB--Bathurst
P.O. Box 266
725 College Street
Bathurst, N.B. E2A 3Z2
Telephone: (506) 547-2145
Fax: (506) 547-2741
E-mail: registraire@bathurst.ccnb.nb.ca
Website: www.bathurst.ccnb.nb.ca

CAMPBELLTON - CCNB--Campbellton
P.O. Box 309
47 Village Street
Campbellton, N.B. E3N 3G7
Telephone: (506) 789-2377
Fax: (506) 789-2433
Website: www.campbellton.ccnb.nb.ca

DIEPPE - CCNB--Dieppe
505 College Street
Dieppe, N.B. E1A 6X2
Telephone: (506) 856-2200
Fax: (506) 856-2125
E-mail: question@dieppe.ccnb.nb.ca
Website: www.dieppe.ccnb.nb.ca

EDMUNDSTON - CCNB--Edmundston
P.O. Box 70
225 Power Road
Edmundston, N.B.
E3V 3K7
Telephone: (506) 735-2500
Fax: (506) 735-2717
E-mail: infoccnb@gnb.ca
Website: www.edmundston.ccnb.nb.ca

FREDERICTON - NB College of Craft & Design
c/o Student Services Coordinator
457 Queen Street
P.O. Box 6000
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 5H1
Telephone: (506) 453-2305
Fax: (506) 457-7352
E-mail: shelley.cameron2@gnb.ca
Website: www.nbccd.nbcc.nb.ca

MIRAMICHI - NBCC--Miramichi
P.O. Box 1053
80 University Avenue
Miramichi, N.B. E1N 3W4
Telephone: (506) 778-6000
Fax: (506) 778-6001
Website: www.miramichi.nbcc.nb.ca

MONCTON - NBCC--Moncton
1234 Mountain Road
Moncton, N.B. E1C 8H9
Telephone: (506) 856-2220
Fax: (506) 856-2665
E-mail: student.services@gnb.ca
Website: www.moncton.nbcc.nb.ca

SAINT JOHN - NBCC--Saint John
P.O. Box 2270
950 Grandview Avenue
Saint John, N.B. E2L 3V1
Telephone: (506) 658-6600
Fax: (506) 658-6792
E-mail: studentservices.nbccsj@gnb.ca
Website: www.saintjohn.nbcc.nb.ca

ST. ANDREWS - NBCC--St. Andrews
99 Augustus Street
St. Andrews, N.B. E5B 2E9

Contact: Dianne Moses,
Inclusion Education Facilitator
Telephone: (506) 529-5058
Fax: (506) 529-5078
E-mail: dianne.moses@gnb.ca
Website: www.standrews.nbcc.nb.ca

WOODSTOCK - NBCC--Woodstock
100 Broadway Street
Woodstock, N.B. E7M 5C5

Telephone: (506) 325-4400
Fax: (506) 328-8426
Website: www.nbcc.nb.ca

TESS - TRAINING AND EMPLOYMENT SUPPORT SERVICES FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES

The ***Training and Employment Support Services (TESS) for Persons with Disabilities*** program offers training and employment services that enable persons with disabilities to achieve their occupational goal or obtain employment.

The purpose of TESS is to decrease the barriers faced by persons with disabilities so that they may be as competitive as the non-disabled population in their search for employment.

Although everybody's needs are different, some of the services a TESS client may be eligible for include counseling to help decide on a career plan, adaptive equipment required to pursue a career goal, and assistance with special educational or training costs.

For more information, contact a TESS coordinator at one of the following locations:

BATHURST - REGION
275 Main Street, Suite 300
Harbourview Place
Bathurst, N.B. E2A 3Z9

Contact: Marie-Josée Gouin
Telephone: (506) 549-5268
Fax: (506) 549-5782

CAMPBELLTON- REGION
157 Water Street, Suite 100
Campbellton, N.B. E3N 3L4

Contact: Victor Landry
Telephone: (506) 789-2514
Fax: (506) 759-6696

CARAQUET - REGION
20E St-Pierre Boulevard West
P.O. Box 5644
Place Bellevue
Caraquet, N.B. E1W 1B7

Contact: Serge LeBouthillier
Telephone: (506) 726-2067
Fax: (506) 726-2728

EDMUNDSTON - REGION
121 de l'Église Street, Suite 308
Carrefour Assomption
Edmundston, N.B. E3V 3L3

Contact: André Lang
Telephone: (506) 735-2152
Fax: (506) 735-2527

FREDERICTON - REGION	633 Queen Street P.O. Box 6000 Fredericton, N.B. E3B 5H1	Contact: Carrie Monteith-Levesque Telephone: (506) 453-7946 Fax: (506) 444-5189
MIRAMICHI - REGION	150 Pleasant Street Miramichi, N.B. E1V 3V5	Contact: Richard Breault Telephone: (506) 627-4004 Fax: (506) 624-5482
MONCTON - REGION	200 Champlain Street, Suite 320 Place 1604 P.O Box 5001 Dieppe, N.B. E1C 8R3	Contact: Michelle Doucet Telephone: (506) 856-2512 Fax: (506) 869-6608
SAINT JOHN - REGION	1 Agar Place P.O. Box 5001 Saint John, N.B. E2L 4Y9	Contact: Lucille MacKinnon Telephone: (506) 643-6964 Pauline Christian: (506) 643-6967 Fax: (506) 643-7443

WORKERS' ADVOCATES

Website: www.gnb.nb.ca/0303/01e.htm

Workers' Advocates assist injured workers and their families in matters concerning workers' compensation benefits by advising and representing them on issues before the ***Workplace Health, Safety and Compensation Commission of New Brunswick*** (see listing on page 175).

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Website: www.gnb.ca/0113/access-trans/veh-retrofit-e.asp

The New Brunswick Department of Transportation offers the following program:

1) The ***Vehicle Retrofit Program*** will provide a maximum grant of 80% of the first $5,625 and 50% of the next $7,000 to individuals, registered non-profit organizations, municipalities or private companies towards the cost of supporting and/or installing eligible accessibility features for a new or existing vehicle, renewable every 10 years. Organizations that provide transportation services for the disabled community will be eligible to renew their limit every five years.

   Some examples of retrofitting and accessibility features eligible for assistance under the program are:

   - wheelchair lifts and ramps
   - hand controls, steering devices and left-foot gas pedals
   - wheelchair restraint systems
   - special needs seating
   - roof, floor and door alterations (if part of an accessible retrofit)
   - scooter lifts

   Consideration may be given to other features not listed above.

   For more information, please contact:

   Claudette McAllister, Coordinator
   Vehicle Retrofit Program
   Dept. of Transportation
   P. O. Box 6000
   Fredericton, N.B. E3B 5H1

   Telephone: (506) 453-5818
   Fax: (506) 453-5859
   E-mail: claudette.mcallister@gnb.ca

DEPARTMENT OF WELLNESS, CULTURE AND SPORT

Central Office:
Place 2000, 4th Floor
250 King Street
P. O. Box 6000
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 5H1

Contact: Monica Laviolette
Telephone: (506) 457-7889
Fax: (506) 453-6548
E-mail: monica.laviolette@gnb.ca

By joining in a variety of sport and recreation programs in an integrated community setting, a person with a disability can form new relationships and develop new interests and skills that will broaden one's perspective and improve their quality of life.

The goals of the Department of Wellness, Culture and Sport are to promote the inclusion of persons with disabilities into mainstream recreation programs and increase the number of people with disabilities who regularly participate in physical recreation and sport.
The Department provides human resource services and financial assistance to:

- local recreation providers.
- provincial/regional/local recreational organizations.
- organizations contributing to our goals and relating to people who have a disability.
- recreation integration initiatives.

Programs/Resources:
- liaison between Federal/Provincial initiatives.
- community initiatives program.
- leadership development.
- physical activity initiative.

Regional Offices are located at:

REPUBLIC - (Region 1)
Carrefour Assomption
121 de l'Église Street
P. O. Box 5001
Edmundston, N.B. E3V 3L3

Consultant: Daniel Cyr
Telephone: (506) 735-2279
Fax: (506) 735-2310
E-mail: daniel.cyr@gnb.ca

WESTERN - VALLEY (Region 2)
108 Maple Street
Woodstock, N.B. E7M 5C6

Consultant: Kelcy Kuhn
Telephone: (506) 325-4729
Fax: (506) 325-4934
E-mail: kelcy.kuhn@gnb.ca

CAPITAL - (Region 3)
Place 2000
250 King Street
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 9M9

Consultant: Jeffery Callaghan
Telephone: (506) 457-4841
Fax: (506) 453-6548
E-mail: jeffery.callaghan@gnb.ca

FUNDY -
(Region 4)
490 Woodward Avenue
Saint John, N.B. E2K 5N3
Consultant: John Ferguson
Telephone: (506) 658-2492
Fax: (506) 658-2497
E-mail: john.ferguson@gnb.ca

SOUTH EAST -
(Region 5)
860 Main Street, 7th Floor
P.O. Box 5001
Moncton, N.B. E1C 8R3
Contact: Roland Colette
Telephone: (506) 856-3118
Fax: (506) 856-3013
E-mail: roland.colette@gnb.ca

MIRAMICHI/KENT -
(Region 6)
1809 Water Street, 3rd Floor
Miramichi, N.B. E1N 1B2
Consultant: René Pelletier
Telephone: (506) 778-6688
Fax: (506) 778-8976
E-mail: rene.l.pelletier@gnb.ca

CHALEUR/ - PENINSULA
(Region 7)
1425 King Avenue
Bathurst, N.B. E2A 1S7
Consultant: Réal Savoie
Telephone: (506) 547-2478
Fax: (506) 547-2064
E-mail: real-savoie@gnb.ca

RESTIGOUCHE -
(Region 8)
City Centre Mall
113 Roseberry Street
P.O. Box 5001
Campbellton, N.B. E3N 2G6
Consultant: Gilles Bryar
Telephone: (506) 789-6586
Fax: (506) 789-4878
E-mail: gilles.bryar@gnb.ca

OFFICE OF HUMAN RESOURCES

Equal Employment Opportunity Program

The Equal Employment Opportunity (EEO) program was established in 1984 and has provided Aboriginals, persons with disabilities and members of a visible minority group with equal access to employment, training and promotional opportunities in the New Brunswick Public Service.

The objective of the Equal Employment Opportunity (EEO) program is to help create a more balanced workforce that reflects the diversity of our province.

Website: www.gnb.ca / Keyword EEO

Contact:
Michelle Anne Duguay, Manager
Gail Prince, Officer

Telephone: (506) 453-2264
Fax: (506) 453-2124
E-mail: EEO-EAE@gnb.ca

Equal Employment Opportunity Program
Official Languages & Workplace Equity
Office of Human Resources
P.O. Box 6000
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 5H1

OMBUDSMAN OFFICE

Bernard Richard, Ombudsman
767 Brunswick Street
P. O. Box 6000
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 5H1

Telephone: (506) 453-2789
Toll-free: (888) 465-1100
Fax: (506) 453-5599
E-mail: nbombud@gnb.ca

Any person who believes that he or she has suffered an injustice by the action of a department, agency or official of the Government of New Brunswick or a municipality of the Province can make a complaint by writing, calling or visiting the Ombudsman Office.

The Ombudsman Office may summon persons and has access to all records bearing on a complaint under investigation. The Ombudsman Office may determine whether the action was unreasonable, unjust, oppressive or discriminatory or if the law was wrongly applied, an error of law or fact was made or a discretionary power was used for an improper purpose.

The Ombudsman Office may also review appeals under the Right to Information Act, the Civil Service Act, the Protection of Personal Information Act and the Archives Act.

The Ombudsman's Office will receive collect calls.

CANADA PENSION PLAN - DISABILITY BENEFITS

The Canada Pension Plan (CPP) disability benefit is a **monthly** payment. It is available to people who contributed recently to the Canada Pension Plan while they worked, and then became unable to work at **any job** on a regular basis because of a disability. The primary purpose is to replace a portion of employment earnings for people who recently paid into the CPP. There are also benefits for children if at least one parent qualifies for the CPP disability benefit.

A CPP disability benefit is not approved on the basis of which disability or disease you have, but on **how** the medical condition and its treatment affect your ability to work at any job on a regular basis.

Applicants who have a **terminal illness** will have their disability applications decided on within 48 hours upon receipt of their application. Social Development Canada (SDC) staff give these applications priority to determine eligibility quickly so that benefit payments can start as soon as possible.

Can I work while receiving benefits? Yes, you can earn up to $4,200 (before taxes) in 2006 without informing SDC staff and without losing your benefit. This amount may increase in future years.

Once you earn $4,200 from work, you should contact SDC staff about your current work situation and your future work goals. If you can only work once in a while, you may be able to earn more than $4,200 while still receiving your CPP disability benefit payment. It is important to contact us so we can look at your individual situation.

If you believe you are able to work on a regular basis, SDC staff may be able to help you achieve your goals through the CPP vocational rehabilitation program. As new technology, medical treatments and skills training are making it possible for some people with disabilities to re-enter the work force, this program is designed to help you return to work.

At this time you can't access or fill out a CPP disability application kit online. Please contact us at the number below and we will send you the kit to fill out. You must apply for a disability benefit in writing. If you prefer, someone else (a family member or friend) can complete the kit for you (but please make sure that you sign the application form for your benefit).

Toll free:	(800) 277-9914 (English)
	(800) 277-9915 (French)
TTY:	(800) 255-4786 (Bilingual)

For more detailed information about CPP disability benefits visit our website (www.sdc.gc.ca).

CANADIAN HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION - ATLANTIC REGIONAL OFFICE

Cornwallis House
5475 Spring Garden Road, Suite 504
Halifax, Nova Scotia B3J 3T2

Telephone: (902) 426-8380
TTY: (888) 643-3304
Toll-free in Atlantic Canada: (800) 999-6899
Fax: (902) 426-2685
E-mail: info.com@chrc-ccdp.ca
Publications: publications@chrc-ccdp.ca
Website: www.chrc-ccdp.ca

The Canadian Human Rights Commission administers the *Canadian Human Rights Act* and is responsible for ensuring compliance with the *Employment Equity Act*. Both laws ensure that the principles of equal opportunity and non-discrimination are followed in all areas of federal jurisdiction.

CANADIAN TRANSPORTATION AGENCY

Accessible Transportation Directorate
Canadian Transportation Agency
Ottawa, Ontario
K1A 0N9

Telephone: (819) 997-6828
Toll-free: (888) 222-2592
TTY: (819) 953-9705
Toll-Free TTY: (800) 669-5575
Fax: (819) 953-6019
E-mail: cta.comment@cta-otc.gc.ca
Website: www.cta-otc.gc.ca

The Accessible Transportation Directorate of the Canadian Transportation Agency is responsible for ensuring that undue obstacles to the mobility of persons with disabilities are removed from federally regulated transportation services and facilities. The Agency removes undue obstacles in two ways: on a case-by-case basis by resolving individual complaints, and on a systemic basis by developing regulations, codes of practice and standards concerning the level of accessibility in modes of transport under federal jurisdiction, such as air, rail, and marine.

If passengers with disabilities encounter obstacles when traveling, they can file a complaint with the Agency in writing. An online complaint form and guide are available on the Agency's website. For further information, contact the Agency at any of the coordinates listed above.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF CANADA

Job info-line - *Info*Tel: (800) 645-5605
TTY: (800) 532-9397
Departmental Website: www.psc-cfp.gc.ca
Employment Site: www.jobs.gc.ca

As the official recruiter for most of the Public Service of Canada, the Public Service Commission of Canada (PSC) is an important point of contact for people interested in joining the federal Public Service.

As one of the largest employers in the country, the Government of Canada offers exciting career opportunities to suit a wide range of skills, experience and career interests. Whether you're a seasoned professional or a student, seeking permanent or temporary work, on a full or part-time basis, the Public Service of Canada is an employer of choice in all fields of endeavour.

The Public Service of Canada is committed to building a skilled, diverse workforce reflective of Canadian society. As a result it promotes employment equity and is committed to developing inclusive, barrier-free selection processes and work environments. Services available in English and French.

SERVICE CANADA

Telephone: (800) 622-6232
[1 (800) O-Canada]
TTY: (800) 926-9105
E-mail: guide@canada.gc.ca
Website: www.servicecanada.gc.ca

Service Canada is your one-stop, easy-to-access source of information on all Government of Canada programs and services, including many designed specifically to assist persons with disabilities. In New Brunswick we now have several Service Canada Centres and outreach sites to serve you.

For information on supports related to employment, accessibility, education, health, income, and tax benefits, see the *Guide to Government of Canada Services for People with Disabilities and their Families*. The *Guide* is available on-line, at our in-person centres or for order by phone or e-mail. You may request a copy in the following alternative formats: large print, Braille, audio cassette or computer diskette.

Please contact a Service Canada Office nearest you:

BATHURST -	Nicholas Denys Building 1st Floor 120 Harbourview Boulevard Bathurst, N.B. E2A 7R2	Telephone: (506) 548-7998 Fax: (506) 548-7186
CAMPBELLTON -	Campbellton City Centre Suite 100 157 Water Street Campbellton, N.B. E3N 3L3	Telephone: (800) 206-7218 Fax: (506) 789-4547
EDMUNDSTON -	Federal Building 22 Emmerson Street Edmundston, N.B. E3V 1R7	Telephone: (506) 739-0222 Fax: (506) 739-0228
FREDERICTON -	Federal Building 633 Queen Street Fredericton, N.B. E3B 5G4	Telephone: (506) 452-3823 Fax: (506) 452-3303
MIRAMICHI -	150 Pleasant Street Miramichi, N.B. E1V 3V5	Telephone: (506) 627-2033 Fax: (506) 627-2049
MONCTON-	Heritage Court Building Suite 310 95 Foundry Street Moncton, N.B. E1C 8R5	Telephone: (506) 851-6718 Fax: (506) 851-6941
SAINT JOHN -	1 Agar Place, 1st Floor Saint John, N.B. E2L 4V4	Telephone: (800) 206-7218 Fax: (506) 636-3808

SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT CANADA (SDC)

General Programs and Services

Social Development Canada provides federal programs and services for persons with disabilities. At local SDC offices, we'll point you in the right direction for programs you may be eligible for. We act as liaison to employment counseling, referrals to jobs or training and many other services. For further information:

Toll Free: (800) O-CANADA [(800) 622-6232]
TTY: (800) 465-7735 (or 711 in New Brunswick)

E-mail: disability@communication.gc.ca
Website: www.sdc-dsc.gc.ca

CPP Disability Benefits

As a person with a disability, you may be eligible for Disability Benefits through the Canada Pension Plan. For more information about your eligibility, or to make an appointment with a local consultant, call the toll free number below.
English: (800) 277-9914
French: (800) 277-9915
TTY: (800) 255-4786

Office for Disability Issues

Social Development Canada is committed to the principle of equity in employment. Persons with disabilities are one of the four designated groups for SDC programs and services. The Office for Disability Issues collaborates with other federal and provincial departments and agencies. Programs are generally administered locally and include those such as:

- Employability Assistance for People with Disabilities,
- Project Funding and Organizational Funding for Disability Organizations,
- Employment Equity Programs, and
- The Opportunities Fund

The Office for Disability Issues:
Toll Free: (800) O-CANADA [(800) 622-6232]
TTY: (800) 465-7735 (or 711 in New Brunswick)
Fax: (819) 953-4797

LISTING OF NON-PROFIT COMMUNITY SERVICES

ABILITY TRANSIT

Leesa Young, Executive Director
236 St. George Street, Suite 115
Moncton, N.B. E1C 1W1

Telephone: (506) 853-3055

This transportation service is accessible and available to persons with severe physical disabilities who reside in the City of Moncton. The service operates from Monday to Saturday. It is preferable to make reservations in advance. The bus, with driver, can also be rented to groups and individuals. Ability Transit now has three buses in operation. Services available in English and French.

ABLE SAIL/HANDI-VOILE

c/o Robert Melanson, President
239 Chapelle Street
Dieppe, N.B. E1A 1B1

Telephone: (506) 533-9750
(506) 855-8340 (if no response)

Able Sail is a non-profit organization offering sailing opportunities to the disabled population of Southeast New Brunswick. To qualify, one only has to want to sail recreationally or to learn how to sail, and persons with any disability are welcome. Able Sail uses an adapted sailboat, the Gordon McRae, with qualified non-disabled sailing partners. The goal is to have fun, and those who may wish to sail competitively as well may participate in the local Shediac Bay races. They also have a single person craft called the "Michael Dunn" used for single person sailing instruction.

ACCESSOBUS (Acadian Lines)

300 Main Street
Unit B2-2
Moncton, N.B. E1C 1B9

Telephone: (506) 859-5060
Toll-free: (800) 567-5151
Fax: (506) 859-5106
Website: www.acadianbus.com/en/services/mobilite.asp

Accessobus is a motor coach, modified and equipped with a fully enclosed elevator lift. Inside the coach, two double passenger seats were redesigned to serve as individual restraints for wheelchair users or as four standard passenger seats. The two wheelchair restraint positions feature special wheelchair tie-downs.

The Accessobus will be active in New Brunswick, PEI and Nova Scotia on all Acadian Lines runs. Please call for inquiries and/or reservations. A minimum of 72 hours notice is required.

ADULT DAY CENTRE

c/o VON	Telephone: (506) 458-8365
65 Brunswick Street	Fax: (506) 459-2899
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 1G5	E-mail: tuckerd@von.ca

The Adult Day Centre is operated by the Victorian Order of Nurses at the Victoria Health Centre for seniors and persons with special needs who may live at home but require some help to maintain their independence. Participants must be mobile, although canes, wheelchairs or other mobility aids are acceptable. Social activities, exercise programs, educational activities, health supervision and counseling are available to all participants. A small daily fee is charged, while government funding, the Fredericton United Way and public donations also assist in the costs. To join, individuals can be referred by their doctor, family member or a community health worker, or they can contact the VON office.

AIDS N.B. / SIDA N.-B.

Joannah Lang, Executive Director	Toll Free: (800) 561-4009
65 Brunswick Street	Fax: (506) 459-5782
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 1G5	E-mail: sidaids@nbnet.nb.ca
	Website: www.aidsnb.com

AIDS New Brunswick is a provincial organization committed to facilitating community-based responses to the issues of HIV/AIDS. The aim is to promote and support the health and well-being of persons living with and affected by HIV/AIDS and to reduce the spread of HIV/AIDS in New Brunswick.

AIDS New Brunswick's office is open Monday to Friday, 8:30AM to 12:30PM and 1:30PM to 4:30PM. Many of our programs/services are accessible by telephone, walk-in and/or e-mail. After hours services are available by appointment only. We offer:

- A toll-free, bilingual HIV/AIDS Information Line (800) 561-4009 (anonymous & confidential)
- A Resource Library/Centre, including a private computer workstation
- A web site www.aidsnb.com
- Individual counseling
- Education sessions/consultations
- Policy consultations
- Referrals
- Information displays
- Condom distribution
- Needle exchange program (Fredericton)

- Support funds for persons living with HIV/AIDS
- Treatment information
- Advocacy
- Peer support
- Skills-building opportunities for persons living with HIV/AIDS
- A Speakers Bureau
- Awareness events
- Volunteer opportunities

AIDS SAINT JOHN INC.

Julie Dingwell, Executive Director	Telephone: (506) 652-2437
115 Hazen Street	Fax: (506) 652-2438
Saint John, N.B. E2L 3L3	E-mail: aidssj@nb.aibn.com
	Website: www.aidssaintjohn.com

The following services are offered by AIDS Saint John Inc.:

Support for persons living with HIV and AIDS; support for persons affected by HIV and AIDS; emergency/discretionary funds for people living with HIV and AIDS; advocacy; information line; AIDS awareness workshops; treatment information; education programs; workplace education programs; resource library; health promotion; annual Candlelight Memorial; World AIDS Day; AIDS Awareness Week; clean needle exchange; Hepatitis C information library; condom distribution service; and on-site testing.

ALLERGY AND ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION – N.B. BRANCH

122 Sussex Avenue	Contact: Patricia Hicks
Riverview, N.B. E1B 3A4	Telephone: (506) 386-3425
	Fax: (506) 386-3425
	E-mail: aehanb@nb.sympatico.ca

A registered national charitable organization, staffed by volunteers. It was developed to create awareness of allergies and environmental conditions that may be harmful to human health and brings individuals together for mutual support. Environmental sensitivity can develop in individuals with no past history of allergies. Symptoms can range from mild to disabling. Symptoms may develop suddenly, or slowly over time.

ALLERGY/ASTHMA INFORMATION ASSOCIATION - ATLANTIC

Gloria J. Shanks, Atlantic Regional Co-ordinator
36 Morrison Street
Fredericton, N.B. E3A 4M3

Telephone: (506) 459-4475
E-mail: gloria.shanks@nb.aibn.com

Allergy / Asthma Information Association is a non-profit organization that accumulates and disseminates information pertaining to all aspects of allergy/asthma/anaphylaxis (life-threatening). Those wishing information can contact the regional office.

ALTERNATIVE RESIDENCES ALTERNATIVES INC.

Jacinthe Dufour, Executive Director
257 Lutz Street
Moncton, N.B. E1C 5G4

Telephone: (506) 854-7229
or (506) 855-1218
Fax: (506) 853-6051
E-mail: jdufour@rogers.com

Jodie Babkirk-Massoudi,
Human Resource/Program Manager

E-mail: jbabkirk@rogers.com

Provides residential services and a community integration program for adults living with a mental illness. Services available in English and French.

ALZHEIMER SOCIETY OF N.B.

Gloria McIlveen, Executive Director
Alzheimer Society of New Brunswick
P.O. Box 1553, Station A
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 5G2

Telephone: (506) 459-4280
Toll-free: (800) 664-8411
Fax: (506) 452-0313
E-mail: info@alzheimernb.ca
Website: www.alzheimernb.ca

Office Address:
33 Main Street
Fredericton, N.B. E3A 1B7

The Alzheimer Society of New Brunswick provides help for today, and hope for tomorrow to all people affected by Alzheimer and related diseases through the provision of support to persons with Alzheimer Disease and their family members, providing education about Alzheimer and related diseases, and by fundraising to contribute to ongoing research.
The Society offers numerous services across the province including: support groups province wide for people in the early stages of the disease as well as for caregivers and family members; a broad resource lending library including books, brochures, information sheets, and videos; maintenance of the "Safely Home" program province-wide; a 1-800 information and support line; education sessions and workshops; and raising the general public awareness of this disease. Services available in English and French.

The following is the listing of regional offices:

CAMPBELLTON - Bay des Chaleurs Alzheimer Society
35 L'Anse Street
Eel River Crossing, N.B. E8E 1P9
Telephone: (506) 826-3591
E-mail: rencm@nb.sympatico.ca

MIRAMICHI - Alzheimer Miramichi Chapter
P.O. Box 205
Miramichi, N.B. E1N 3A6
Telephone: (506) 773-7093
Fax: (506) 773-7093
E-mail: alzmir@nb.aibn.com

Office Address:
156 Wellington Street
Miramichi, N.B. E1N 1L7

MONCTON - Alzheimer Society of Southeast N.B.
P.O. Box 1266
Moncton, N.B. E1C 8P9
Telephone: (506) 858-8380
Fax: (506) 855-7697
E-mail: alzheimer@nb.aibn.com

Office Address:
567 St. George Boulevard
Moncton, N.B. E1E 2B9

SAINT JOHN - Saint John Alzheimer Society
Office Address:
152 Westmorland Road
Saint John, N.B. E2J 2E7
Telephone: (506) 634-8722
Fax: (506) 648-9404
E-mail: sjalzheimer@nb.aibn.com

ALZHEIMER SOCIETY N.B. – SAINT JOHN

152 Westmorland Road
Saint John, N.B. E2J 2E7

Contact: Susan Whittaker
Telephone: (506) 634-8722
Fax: (506) 648-9404

Provides free family information packages; lending library of resource books and videos; speakers registry; annual workshop and a newsletter. Volunteers are available to make presentations and conduct workshops. Support Group for caregivers held the 4th Thursday of each month. Early Stage Support Group for caregivers and those in the early stages of Alzheimer Disease meet the 3rd Friday of each month. Services available in English.

ALZHEIMER SUPPORT GROUP - SUSSEX AND IMMEDIATE AREA

155 Fowler Avenue
Sussex, N.B. E4E 2K6

Contact: Jean Price
Telephone: (506) 433-1909

Alzheimer Support Group meetings are designed by and for those who share common concerns about Alzheimer Disease. Meetings provide reassurance, comfort, friendship, social support and specialized information about Alzheimer Disease. Membership is not required, meeting attendance is voluntary. A resource library is available. Services are provided in English. Meetings are held at the Kiwanis Nursing Home on the first Thursday of every month at 7:00 p.m.

AMYOTROPHIC LATERAL SCLEROSIS SOCIETY OF N.B. INC.

P. O. Box 295
Moncton, N.B. E1C 8K9

Telephone: (506) 532-5786
Toll-free: (866) 722-7700
Fax: (506) 388-7466
E-mail: info@alsnb.ca
Website: www.alsnb.ca

The New Brunswick chapter of the A.L.S. Society offers support services to persons with amyotrophic lateral sclerosis and their families. It enhances public awareness of the condition and raises funds for research into the cause and cure of A.L.S.

ARTHRITIS SOCIETY - N. B. DIVISION (THE)

Nancy Coy, Executive Director
65 Brunswick Street
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 1G5

Telephone: (506) 457-1017
Toll-free: (800) 321-1433
Fax: (506) 459-3925
E-mail: ncoy@nb.arthritis.ca
Website: www.arthritis.ca

The Arthritis Society is Canada's only not-for-profit organization dedicated to providing and promoting arthritis education, community support and research-based solutions, to the more than four million Canadians living with arthritis. Since its inception in 1948, the Society has contributed more than $140 million towards arthritis research to develop better treatments for arthritis and ultimately, to find a cure. The Society is also committed to providing diversified programs to help those living with this disabling disease. Services available in French and English.

There are 3 active branches in New Brunswick:

BATHURST - Chaleur Branch
Bill Nicol, President
250-258 Foulem Street
Beresford, N.B. E8K 1N4
Telephone: (506) 548-8268
E-mail: bnicol@nbnet.nb.ca

MONCTON - Codiac Branch
Nicole St. Laurant Ward, President
1232 Route La Vallee
Memramcook, N.B. E4K 1A2
Telephone: (506) 383-9774
E-mail: waynward@nbnet.nb.ca

SAINT JOHN - Saint John Branch
Dorothy (Cookie) MacDonald, Co-President
17 Barbara Street
Hampton, N.B. E5N 5P3
Telephone: (506) 832-1910
E-mail: macgolf@nbnet.nb.ca

Kerrie Luck, Co-President
21 Birchdale Avenue
Quispamsis, N.B. E2E 4Y8
Telephone: (506) 847-7227
E-mail: kerrie.luck@pfizer.com

ASSIST PROGRAM (FAMILY PLUS / LIFE SOLUTIONS)

Muriel Jarvis, Executive Director
Linden Place, 199 Chesley Drive
Saint John, N.B. E2K 4S9

Telephone: (506) 634-8295
Toll-Free: (800) 360-3237
Fax: (506) 652-1477
E-mail: assist@familyplus.ca
Website: www.familyplus.ca

A highly motivated trained team of Human Service workers assist/support children and adults living with a disability in developing relationships; making informed choices; and acquiring skills necessary for living a quality life at home and in their community.

ASSOCIATION ACADIENNE ET FRANCOPHONE DES AÎNÉES ET AÎNÉS DU N.-B.

Roger Doiron, General Director
7 Beau-Rivage Street
Richibucto, N.B. E4W 3W4

Telephone: (506) 523-0090
Toll-free: (866) 523-0090
Fax: (506) 523-7009
E-mail: aafanb@nb.aibn.com
Website: www.aafanb.org

The Association defends the rights of francophone and Acadian seniors 50 years old and over and promotes their needs. Services available in French.

ATAXIA SUPPORT GROUP

185 Loch Lomond Road
Saint John, N.B. E2J 3S3

Contact: Rose Gallant
Fax: (506) 643-7159

The Ataxia Support Group provides information on updates and research as well as helping individuals cope with Ataxia. Services are available in English and volunteers are available to conduct workshops and/or presentations.

ATLANTIC HEALTH SCIENCES CORPORATION PULMONARY REHABILITATION PROGRAM

Steve Mundle
c/o Saint John Regional Hospital
Cardiovascular Department
Health and Wellness
P. O. Box 2100
Saint John, N.B. E2L 4L2

Telephone: (506) 648-6770
Fax: (506) 648-6658 attn: Pulmonary
E-mail: munst@reg2.health.nb.ca

Pulmonary Rehabilitation is a 10 week program of exercise and education to assist people in developing the tools to manage their disease. Patients are referred through a Respirologist and receive a full assessment before entering the program.

AUTISM RESOURCE CENTRE

Angèle Collette
170 Curry Street
P.O. Box 1686
Moncton, N.B. E1C 9 X5

Telephone: (506) 855-9032
Fax: (506) 854-9020
E-mail: autismresourcecentre@gmail.com
Website: www.monctonarc.com

The Autism Resource Centre (ARC) is committed to assisting in the accessing of resources and services for individuals with autism, their families/caregivers and professionals. Services are available in both English and French.

AUTISM SOCIETY N.B.

Lila Barry, President
P.O. Box 1493, Station A
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 5G2

Toll-Free: (866) 773-1916 (N.B. only)
E-mail: autism_nb@yahoo.com
Website: www.autismnb.org

Autism Society New Brunswick is a non-profit organization whose objectives are to promote public awareness and understanding of autism/pdd through workshops, seminars and conferences; provide appropriate up-to-date information and resource material; encourage parent support groups and advocate on behalf of all persons with autism and their families.

Parent Support Groups can be found in the following areas:

Bathurst Area: Meetings are held every 1st Saturday of the month at 1:00p.m. at the community room on the 2nd floor of Sobeys located on St. Peter Avenue. For more information contact Jessica Roy at lroy33@nbnet.nb.ca.

Caraquet Area: For more information contact Mary at (506) 727-5186.

Fredericton Area: Support Meeting is the 3rd Wednesday of the month at Jobs Unlimited, 1079 York Street, starting at 7:30 p.m. For more information contact Nancy Blanchette at (506) 357-2104 or mail to: 253 French Lake Road, French Lake, NB E2V 4E6.

Miramichi Area: Parents Support Group meets the last Wednesday of the month at 7:00 p.m. on the 5th floor Conference Room at the Miramichi Regional Hospital. Everyone is welcome. For more information contact Georgie at (506) 773-5775.

Moncton Area: The group meets every second Wednesday of the month at 7:00p.m. at the Village Community Centre, upstairs in the Atlantic Superstore, Riverview, NB. Contact Darlene at (506) 386-8300, or Linda at (506) 388-4245, if you would like more information.

Perth-Andover Area: They meet every second Tuesday of the month at 7:00p.m. in the Hotel-Dieu Saint-Joseph Hospital in the Conference Room. Contact Andree Morin if you would like more information, (506) 273-4392.

Saint John Area: CACI is open Monday-Friday from 9 a.m. – 5 p.m. People can drop in to utilize our Book Lending Library, Resource Area or just chat with other parents. Here is a weekly schedule of some of our regular activities:
Mondays with Mirza. Parent run Playgroup – 2 mornings a week. Kool Kids Social Skills Group moving to Thursdays 6:30 – 7:30 p.m. Parent Group – every 3rd Wednesday.
For more information contact Debbie MacDonald at (506) 642-1128 or e-mail ldmcd@nb.sympatico.ca.

St. Stephen Area: The Charlotte County Autism/PDD parent support group meets the last Monday of the month at the St. Stephen Market community room, 7:00p.m. For more information contact Laura at (506) 466-5068 or Sandra at (506) 529-4149.

BIG BROTHERS – BIG SISTERS ASSOCIATIONS

Website: www.bbbsc.ca

Aim to assist in the healthy development of children age 6 to 18 years, who are from primarily single-parent families, by providing a mature adult mentor volunteer friend. Children with disabilities can participate in the program. The objective of the association is to provide companionship and guidance to youth.

FREDERICTON - Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Fredericton-Oromocto
Telephone: (506) 458-8941

MIRAMICHI - Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Miramichi /
Boys & Girls Club Miramichi
Telephone: (506) 778-2444

MONCTON - Big Brothers Big Sisters of Moncton
Telephone: (506) 857-3047

SAINT JOHN - Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Saint John Inc.
Telephone: (506) 635-1145

SUSSEX - Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Kings County
Telephone: (506) 433-5995

WOODSTOCK - Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Carleton-York
Telephone: (506) 328-2094

BONE MARROW TRANSPLANT SUPPORT GROUP – SAINT JOHN

20 Lake Road
Quispamsis, N.B. E2E 4P8

Contact: Jane Chamberlain
Telephone: (506) 849-4939
Fax: (506) 847-0875

The Bone Marrow Transplant Support Group of Saint John is a group of people who have undergone, or are in the process of undergoing a bone marrow transplant and their families or caregivers. The main focus is to provide information and support to those facing a bone marrow transplant. We also provide one-on-one or telephone contact in English or French when requested.

BOYS' AND GIRLS' CLUB OF SAINT JOHN INC.

Debbie Cooper, Executive Director
1 Paul Harris Street
P. O. Box 2441
Saint John, N.B. E2L 3V9

Telephone: (506) 634-2011
Fax: (506) 648-0804
E-mail: dcoopersjbgc@nb.aibn.com
or: sjbgclub@nb.aibn.com

The Club offers recreational and social programming to youth 2-17 years of age during the day and evenings. A daycare for 2-5 years of age is available five days a week as well as an after school program for 5-12 year olds. The facilities of the Club are accessible.

BRAIN INJURY ASSOCIATION OF N.B. INC.

c/o Anne Snow
527 Beaverbrook Court, Suite 148
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 1X6

Telephone: (506) 357-9955
Fax: (506) 357-8412
E-mail: roganne@rogers.com

The Brain Injury Association of New Brunswick is a charitable organization incorporated in 1987 by a group of volunteers who were concerned about the rising population of traumatic brain injured individuals in the province of New Brunswick. The Association is committed to assist persons with a brain injury and their family members to achieve the best quality of life possible following this type of injury. Volunteer members of B.I.A.N.B. are available to visit schools, businesses, etc., to make presentations, conduct workshops or to assist those who might wish to form support groups in their own area.

BUILT NETWORK MONCTON INC.

Cynthia Black
1600 Main Street, Suite 205
Moncton, N.B. E1E 1G5

Telephone: (506) 383-7520
Fax: (506) 384-9507
E-mail: moncton@builtnetwork.ca
Website: www.builtnetwork.ca

BUILT's mandate is to support persons who have low self-esteem, low self-confidence, experienced depression or other mental health issues, to achieve their goals in life.

BUILT Network offers a 7-week Customer Service Representative Skills Development Program. Working in smaller groups, the program provides the ability of more one-on-one time, providing participants with the level of attention they need to succeed, while continuing to identify and overcome barriers to employment.

Working with others, who are in similar circumstances, allows participants the opportunity to feel comfortable and to work within a supportive team approach. BUILT encourages participants and is a solid foundation for them to being the process of developing their opportunities and futures. The program is employment focused, and provides an employment-based program. Services available in English.

CAMP ECTUS INC./FORMATION & LOISIRS JEUNESSE

Nadia Cormier, Director
P.O. Box 3022
Petit-Rocher, N.B. E8J 3E7

Telephone: (506) 783-1122 (w)
Camp: (506) 783-2894
Fax: (506) 783-1126
Camp Fax: (506) 783-2816
Website: www.campectus.ca

Camp Ectus is a residential camp for girls and boys ages 6 to 13 with many years of experience in development and leisure in the great outdoors. Rental services are offered to groups such as the Girl Guides, Boy Scouts, children with special needs, families, social clubs, companies, etc. Services are available in French.

CAMP GLENBURN

David Love, Camp Director
c/o The YMCA-YWCA of Saint John
19-25 Hazen Avenue
Saint John, N.B. E2L 3G6

Telephone: (506) 832-5632
Fax: (506) 634-0548
E-mail: d.love@saintjohny.com

This is a residential camp for boys and girls of ages 7 to 16 years. Activities include swimming, canoeing, kayaking, camp craft, nature, arts and crafts, sports and more. Camp Glenburn strives to meet the needs of children with varying disabilities. Due to the steep terrain, mobility for some children is restricted; thus entrance into the program is assessed individually. Children with disabilities are integrated into the regular programs. All information regarding inscription to the program can be obtained from the Camp Director.

CAMP ROTARY

Stephane Richard, Director
c/o Easter Seals New Brunswick (CRCD)
65 Brunswick Street
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 1G5

Telephone: (506) 458-8739
(Voice/TTY)
Fax: (506) 457-2863
E-mail: rotaryc@nbnet.nb.ca
Website: www.camprotary.ca

This camp provides a camping and therapeutic recreation program filled with a wide variety of activities promoting independence of all campers. The camp program is fully accessible and accredited. It is offered to children and adults with various physical disabilities, as well as to those with diabetes, developmental disabilities and persons with speech or learning difficulties.

(See also the ***Easter Seals New Brunswick*** listing on page 96.)

CANADIAN ASSOCIATION FOR DISABLED SKIING - N.B.

Sharon Rector
105 Muncey Drive
Riverview, N.B. E1B 1A6

Telephone: (506) 387-4734
E-mail: elshar@nbnet.nb.ca
Website: www.disabledskiing.ca

This Association provides specialized downhill ski programs for persons with disabilities. Programs are offered through four regional clubs in conjunction with New Brunswick's four main ski hills: Crabbe Mountain, Mont Farlagne, Poley Mountain and Sugarloaf. Canadian Association for Disabled Skiing - N.B. also offers a cross-country ski program. Services available in English.

CANADIAN CANCER SOCIETY – N.B. DIVISION

133 Prince William Street, Suite 201
P. O. Box 2089
Saint John, N.B. E2L 3T5

Contact: Jo-Anne Verboom,
Executive Assistant

Telephone: (506) 634-6272
Toll-Free: (800) 455-9090
Fax: (506) 634-3808
E-mail: ccsnb@nb.cancer.ca
Website: www.cancer.ca

The Canadian Cancer Society is a national, community-based organization of volunteers, whose mission is the eradication of cancer and the enhancement of the quality of life of people living with cancer.

The Canadian Cancer Society in partnership with the National Cancer Institute of Canada, achieves its mission through research, education, patient services and advocacy for healthy, public policy. These efforts are supported by volunteers and staff and funds raised in communities across Canada. Services available in English and French.

The 3 District Offices in New Brunswick are:

EASTERN - 272 St. George Street
Moncton, N.B. E1C 1W6
Telephone: (506) 859-6977
Fax: (506) 853-7061

SOUTHERN - 133 Prince William Street
Suite 203
Saint John, N.B. E2L 2B5
Telephone: (506) 634-6277
Fax: (506) 634-6722

WESTERN - 346 Queen St., Suite 102
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 1B2
Telephone: (506) 453-1551
Fax: (506) 450-1569

CANADIAN CELIAC ASSOCIATION

National Office:
5170 Dixie Road, Suite 204
Mississauga, Ontario L4W 1E3

Telephone: (905) 507-6208
Toll-Free: (800) 363-7296
Fax: (905) 507-4673
E-mail: info@celiac.ca
Website: www.celiac.ca

The Canadian Celiac Association, NB Chapters, helps with managing diet, shows how to shop for gluten-free food, how to prepare food and moral support. They hold monthly meetings. Newsletters, videos, recipe books, dictionaries and handbooks on the disease are all available. Cooking lessons are also available.

The chapters of the Canadian Celiac Association in New Brunswick are:

FREDERICTON - 527 Beaverbrook Court
Suite 226
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 1X6
Telephone: (506) 450-4357

MONCTON - P. O. Box 1576
Moncton, N.B. E1C 9X4
Telephone: (506) 382-6397

SAINT JOHN - Saint John Celiac Chapter
Myrtelle Speight, President
454 Elmore Crescent
Saint John, N.B. E2M 3C1
Telephone: (506) 672-4454
E-mail: aspeight@nb.sympatico.ca

CANADIAN CONTINENCE FOUNDATION (THE)

Jacqueline Cahill, Executive Director
P.O. Box 417
Peterborough, ON K9J 6Z3

Telephone: (705) 750-4600
Fax: (705) 750-1770
E-mail: help@continence-fdn.ca
Website: www.continence-fdn.ca

The mission of the Foundation is to enhance the quality of life for people experiencing incontinence by helping, them and/or their caregivers, to confidently seek and access cures and treatment options. To this end, the Foundation will implement and encourage important public and professional education, support, advocacy and research to advance incontinence treatment and/or management.

CANADIAN COUNCIL OF THE BLIND – N.B. DIVISION

Linda Sobey, National Representative for NB 761 Route 435 Hwy Maple Glen, N.B. E1V 4X4	Telephone: (506) 622-4997 E-mail: whitecane@nb.aibn.com Website: www.ccbnational.net
Mary Farrer, President 40 Aberdeen Avenue Saint John, N.B. E1P 1E7	Telephone: (506) 633-0380 E-mail: maryfarrer@rogers.com

The main purpose of the CCB is to serve as a means of rehabilitation of blind persons through recreational and social events. Membership in the CCB is confined to those who are registered blind persons, although family members of blind people can become associate members.

There are 9 CCB clubs in New Brunswick located in Bathurst, Campbellton, Fredericton, Moncton, Miramichi, Saint John, Shippagan, Tracadie, Nackawic/Woodstock.

CANADIAN COUNCIL ON REHABILITATION AND WORK (CCRW)

111 Richmond Street West, Suite 401
Toronto, Ontario M5G 2G4

Contact: Carole J. Barron,
President & CEO
E-mail: cjbarron@ccrw.org

Telephone: (416) 260-3060
Toll-Free: (800) 664-0925
TTY: (416) 260-9223
Fax: (416) 260-3093
Website: www.ccrw.org

Norma Ricker, Manager, Employment Initiatives
Telephone: (506) 858-1655
E-mail: nricker@ccrw.org

CCRW is a nation-wide network of organizations and individuals committed to improving employment opportunities for Canadians with disabilities. Providing national leadership in the field of employment for people with a disability, CCRW actively promotes changes to structures and systems which unnecessarily restrict individuals from securing valued employment opportunities. Members benefit from regular publications, training events and conferences. Write for free membership and product information.

CANADIAN CYSTIC FIBROSIS FOUNDATION

2221 Yonge Street, Suite 601
Toronto, Ontario M4S 2B4

Telephone: (416) 485-9149
Toll-free: (800) 378-2233
Fax: (416) 485-0960
E-mail: info@cysticfibrosis.ca
Website: www.cysticfibrosis.ca

The Canadian Cystic Fibrosis Foundation (CCFF) is a national, non-profit, voluntary health agency established in 1960, which is led by volunteers in more than 50 Chapters across Canada. The Foundation's goal is to help those with cystic fibrosis (CF) by: funding research into improved care and treatment, with the goal of finding a cure or control for CF; promoting public awareness of the disease; and raising and allocating funds for these purposes. Services available in English and French.

The chapters of the Canadian Cystic Fibrosis Foundation in New Brunswick are:

FREDERICTON - & NORTHWEST VALLEY - Brian Thompson, President
61 Benjamin Drive
Fredericton, N.B. E3A 9X1
Telephone: (506) 472-6898

MONCTON - Blanche Doyle, President
Dawn MacEachern Memorial Chapter
P.O. Box 29038
Moncton, N.B. E1C 9N4
Telephone: (506) 853-8489

SAINT JOHN - Susan Jack, President
380 Point Road
Saint John, N.B. E2M 7J9
Telephone: (506) 658-7662

CANADIAN DEAFBLIND AND RUBELLA ASSOCIATION - NB/PEI CHAPTER

Patricia Curtis, Executive Director
181 Westmorland Street, Suite 301
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 3L6

Telephone/TTY: (506) 452-1544
Fax: (506) 451-8309
E-mail: cdbra@nb.aibn.com
Website: www.deafblind.nb.ca

CDBRA – NB/PEI provides intervenor services to children and adults with deafblindness and rubella disabilities throughout New Brunswick. An Intervenor is hired to provide a "one-on-one" interaction with the deafblind person in his/her community with regard to vocational, educational, social and recreational activities. The Intervenor is specially trained to meet the unique needs of the deafblind individual and follows an individualized service plan. Other services are family relief and consultation, our camp experience for Deafblind persons, family support group and intervenor services to Prince Edward Island for Deafblind children during the summer. Julie Little is Director of intervention services. Services available in English and French.

CANADIAN DIABETES ASSOCIATION – N.B. REGION

Jake Reid, Regional Director
61 Carleton Street, Suite 2
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 3T2

Telephone: (506) 452-9009
Toll Free: (800) 884-4232
National Information Line: (800) 226-8464
Fax: (506) 455-4728
E-mail: nbinfo@diabetes.ca
Website: www.diabetes.ca

The Canadian Diabetes Association plays a leading role in supporting the over forty thousand New Brunswickers who are directly affected by diabetes, and their loved ones, through diabetes research, education, service and advocacy. New Brunswickers can turn to the Canadian Diabetes Association for answers and help in accessing diabetes resources.

Living with diabetes can be challenging – but you are not alone. In addition to our website, print materials and toll-free information line, the Canadian Diabetes Association offers a wide range of programs and services to help you learn more about your condition and meet others living with it.

CANADIAN HARD OF HEARING ASSOCIATION

National Office:
2435 Holly Lane, Suite 205
Ottawa, Ontario K1V 7P2

Telephone: (613) 526-1584
TTY: (613) 526-2692
Toll-free: (800) 263-8068
Fax: (613) 526-4718
E-mail: reception@chha.ca
Website: www.chha.ca

The Canadian Hard of Hearing Association is a self-help group for persons with a hearing loss who use speech for communication. Paid members will receive a magazine from the national office in Ottawa. Services available in English and French.

The Fredericton Branch meets at the Senior Centre on Johnston Avenue on the last Tuesday of the month at 7:00 p.m.

The Chapters in New Brunswick are:

MONCTON - Rhéal Leger, President
1047 Barachois Street
Dieppe, N.B. E1A 7S8
Telephone: (506) 858-9323 (h)
Cell: (506) 381-6128
Fax (call ahead): (506) 858-9323
E-mail: legerrh@nbnet.nb.ca

NEW BRUNSWICK - Ian Hamilton, President
201 – 400 Douglas Avenue
Saint John, N.B. E2K 1E7
Telephone: (506) 657-7643 (h)
E-mail: ihamilton@chha.ca

CANADIAN HEMOPHILIA SOCIETY – N.B. CHAPTER

44 Corbett Avenue
Fredericton, N.B. E3A 3X4
Telephone: (506) 450-8424
Fax: (506) 459-4474
Website: www.hemophilia.ca

The Canadian Hemophilia Society exists to improve the quality of life for all persons with hemophilia and other inherited bleeding disorders and to find a cure. Services are available in both English and French and they have a resource library. Staff/volunteers are available to visit schools and businesses to conduct workshops and/or presentations.

CANADIAN LIVER FOUNDATION

National Office:
2235 Sheppard Avenue East
Suite 1500
North York, ON M2J 5B5
Telephone: (416) 491-3353
Toll-free: (800) 563-5483
Fax: (416) 491-4952
E-mail: clf@liver.ca
Website: www.liver.ca

Halifax Chapter:
34 Birch Street
Halifax, NS B3N 2V1
Contact: Gina Lipton, Development Coordinator
Telephone: (902) 423-8538
Fax: (902) 423-8811

The Canadian Liver Foundation is a national voluntary health charity committed to enhancing the quality of life for those touched by liver disease. It provides support for research and education into the causes, diagnosis, prevention and treatment of all liver diseases, funds medical research and provides patient and public education programs.

The chapters of the Canadian Liver Foundation in New Brunswick are:

FREDERICTON - OROMOCTO
Contact: Linda Lawrence
Telephone: (506) 357-9617

MONCTON -
Contact: Les Stoodley,
Regional Coordinator
NB/NFLD
Telephone: (506) 869-9118

SAINT JOHN - P.O. Box 6112, Station A
Saint John, N.B. E2L 4R6
Contact: Therese Quinlan
Telephone: (506) 635-2996

CANADIAN MENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION - N. B. DIVISION

403 Regent Street, Suite 202
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 3X6
Telephone: (506) 455-5231
Fax: (506) 459-3878
E-mail: cmhanb@nbnet.nb.ca - General
cmhanb2@nb.aibn.com - Executive Director
Website: www.nb.cmha.ca

The Canadian Mental Health Association, a nation-wide voluntary organization, promotes the mental health of all and supports the resilience and recovery of people experiencing mental illness. CMHA accomplishes this mission through advocacy, education, research and service.

The goal of CMHA is to improve the quality of life for all people and to be a strong advocate for the mentally ill in our communities and also to assist anyone who needs support in getting appropriate service and to assist people in accessing the mental health system. CMHA strives to educate the public on the importance of maintaining your mental health through prevention. Therefore, we offer many workshops, conferences and information sessions on topics such as Suicide Prevention and Awareness, Stress Management, Parenting, Self-Esteem and Anger Management, etc… We also facilitate many self-help groups on topics such as Bereavement, Family & Friends of the Mentally Ill, Survivors of Suicide, as well as many more.

Three branches have staffed offices and are located at the following addresses:

FREDERICTON - CMHA, Fredericton -
Oromocto Region, Inc.
65 Brunswick Street, Room 292
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 1G5
Contact: Jean McBrine,
Executive Director
Telephone: (506) 458-1803
Fax: (506) 443-9001
E-mail: cmhafo@nb.aibn.com

MONCTON - CMHA - Moncton Region Inc.
30 Gordon Street, Suite 104
Moncton, N.B. E1C 1L8
Contact: Carol Steel,
Executive Director
Telephone: (506) 859-8114
Fax: (506) 859-9581
E-mail: cmhamctn@nb.aibn.com

SAINT JOHN - CMHA - Saint John Branch Inc.
Suite 1500, City Hall Building
15 Market Square
Saint John, N.B. E2L 1E8
Contact: Sherry Lapointe-Booy
Executive Director
Telephone: (506) 633-1705
Fax: (506) 633-2892
E-mail: cmha@nb.aibn.com

CMHA Regional Community Workers can be contacted at the following addresses:

HEALTH REGION I - Murielle Doucet
81 Albert Street
P. O. Box 5001
Moncton, N.B. E1C 1B3
Telephone: (506) 852-3270
Fax: (506) 856-2995
E-mail: murielle.doucet@gnb.ca

*Christine Daoust
P.O. Box 2184
Bouctouche, N.B. E4S 2J2
*Available from September to June
Telephone/Fax: (506) 743-5257
E-mail: christine.daoust@gnb.ca

HEALTH REGION II - Mary Magnus
c/o Mental Health Clinic
30 Moffett Avenue
Sussex, N.B. E4E 1E8
Telephone: (506) 432-2101
Fax: (506) 432-2046
E-mail: cmharcw2@nbnet.nb.ca

*Rosslyn Allen
5 Riverview Avenue
St. George, N.B. E3C 3M1
*Available from September to June
Telephone: (506) 755-4060
Fax: (506) 755-1807
E-mail: roz.allen@gnb.ca

HEALTH REGION III - Robin Ward
65 Brunswick Street, Room 294
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 1G5
Telephone: (506) 458-9155
Fax: (506) 458-3878
E-mail: robin.ward@gnb.ca

HEALTH REGION III/IV – Danielle D'Amours
P.O. Box 5001
131 Pleasant Street
Grand Falls, N.B. E3Z 1G1
Telephone: (506) 475-2415
Fax: (506) 475-2452
E-mail: danielle.d'amours@gnb.ca

HEALTH REGION IV - Denyse Mazerolle
118 Martin Street
Edmundston, N.B. E3V 2M9
Telephone: (506) 739-9489
Fax: (506) 737-4448
E-mail: denyse.mazerolle2@gnb.ca

HEALTH REGION V - Cecile Goulette
c/o Mental Health Clinic
6 Arran Street, 2nd Floor
Campbellton, N.B. E3N 1K4
Telephone: (506) 789-2441
Fax: (506) 753-6969
E-mail: cecile.goulette@gnb.ca

HEALTH REGION VI – Paul Landry
239-A J.D. Gauthier Boulevard
Shippagan, N.B. E8S 1N2
Telephone: (506) 336-4932
Fax: (506) 336-3366
E-mail: paul.landry2@gnb.ca

*Julia Auclair
1706 Route 322
Robertville, N.B. E8K 2V8
*Available from September to June
Telephone: (506) 542-2604
Fax: (506) 542-2547
E-mail: julia.auclair@gnb.ca

HEALTH REGION VII - Charline McLean
c/o Mental Health Clinic
1780 Water Street, Suite 300
Miramichi, N.B. E1N 1B6
Telephone: (506) 773-7561
Fax: (506) 778-5296
E-mail: charline.mclean@gnb.ca

CANADIAN NATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR THE BLIND - N.B. DIVISION

Duncan Williams, Executive Director
231 Saunders Street
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 1N5
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Website: www.cnib.ca

CNIB is a nationwide, community-based, registered charity committed to research, public education and vision health for all Canadians. CNIB provides the services and support necessary for people to enjoy a good quality of life while living with vision loss.

CNIB is active in every region of the country, with staff and volunteers working in offices and often travelling to provide support to people in their homes and in rural communities. Through CNIB, Canadians have access to rehabilitation counselling and training, innovative consumer products, peer support and one of the world's largest libraries for people with print disabilities.

CNIB has been making a profound difference in the lives of Canadians with vision loss since 1918. Thanks to the generous support of individuals, corporations, government and other funders, we are able to continue our important work in the areas of rehabilitation services, research, blindness prevention and public education. At CNIB it is well understood that there are ways to enjoy a good quality of life for any of us experiencing vision loss, and important preventive steps we can all take to maintain vision health.

To find out more, visit us at www.cnib.ca, call 1 (800) 563-2642 or visit one of the following offices:

BATHURST - 270 Douglas Avenue Telephone: (506) 546-9922
Bathurst, N.B. E2A 1M9 Fax: (506) 546-0179

FREDERICTON - 231 Saunders Street Telephone: (506) 458-0060
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 1N5 Fax: (506) 458-9219

MONCTON - 118 Highfield Street Telephone: (506) 857-4240
Moncton, N.B. E1C 5N7 Fax: (506) 857-3019

SAINT JOHN - 555 Somerset Street Telephone: (506) 634-7277
Saint John, N.B. E2K 4X2 Fax: (506) 634-7202

CANADIAN PARAPLEGIC ASSOCIATION (N.B.) INC.

Haley Flaro, Executive Director
440 Wilsey Road, Suite 102
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 7G5

Telephone: (506) 462-9555
Toll Free: (866) 462-9555
Fax: (506) 458-9134
E-mail: cpanb@canparaplegic.org
Website: www.cpanb.ca

The mission of the Canadian Paraplegic Association (N.B.) Inc. is to assist persons with spinal cord injuries and other physical disabilities to achieve independence, self-reliance and full community participation. CPA (N.B.) Inc. offers services in the areas of rehabilitation counseling, vocational/employment counseling, community advocacy, case management, information services and peer support.

Services are available provincially from the head office in Fredericton, as well as the regional office:

MONCTON - 236 St. George St., Suite 20 Telephone: (506) 858-0311
Moncton, N.B. E1C 1W1 Fax: (506) 858-8290

CANADIAN RED CROSS – N.B. REGION

Regional Office:
70 Lansdowne Avenue
P. O. Box 39
Saint John, N.B. E2L 3X3

Telephone: (506) 674-6200
Fax: (506) 674-6129
24-Hour Homemaker: (800) 588-4881
Website: www.redcross.ca

This organization offers Youth, Disaster Services, First Aid, Injury Prevention, International Tracing and Reunion, Home Support Services, Health Equipment Loan Program (HELP), Meals to Seniors, Seniors' Services - i.e. Friendly Visiting, Meals-to-Seniors, Telephone Reassurance and Transportation.

Several types of equipment, from wheelchair cushions and crutches to specialized wheelchairs, are loaned to persons **over 65 years of age** through their government-funded **Seniors' Rehabilitative Specialized Equipment Program** [(506) 674-6150]. A written referral from an Occupational Therapist is required for this .

Referrals for specialized equipment for individuals 65 years of age and over should be directed to the attention of the **Specialized Rehabilitative Equipment Coordinator** at the **Regional Office in Saint John.** [Fax: (506) 674-6157].

Standard equipment, such as crutches and canes, is also loaned to persons under 65 years of age. Contact [(506) 674-6146].

Not all programs of the community-based senior services are offered in all areas. If clients have any questions regarding services offered in their area, they should contact the nearest Red Cross Office:

Office	Phone	Fax
Bathurst	(506) 548-2824	(506) 548-0831
Campbellton	(506) 759-8521	(506) 753-2487
Edmundston	(506) 736-0050	(506) 736-0055
Fredericton	(506) 458-8445	(506) 454-7522
Grand Falls	(506) 473-5897	(506) 473-6974
Moncton	(506) 863-2668	(506) 863-2662
Richibucto	(506) 523-4479	(506) 523-4086
Sackville	(506) 364-8813	(506) 364-0183
Saint John	(506) 674-6132	(506) 674-6129
Sussex	(506) 433-5886	(506) 433-3588
Tracadie	(506) 395-2010	(506) 395-7223
Woodstock	(506) 328-8881	(506) 328-3180

CAREER FLIGHT

1753 Water Street, Suite 2
Miramichi, N.B. E1N 1B2

Contact: Don Rowe
Telephone: (506) 627-4350
TTY: (506) 627-4358
Fax: (506) 627-4356
E-mail: career01@nb.aibn.com
Website: www.career-flight.com

Helping persons with disabilities achieve goals and objectives of training for future employment possibilities and also as a resource base of information with availability of two adapted work stations. Services available in English and French.

CCRW EMPLOYMENT SERVICES

529 Main Street, Suite 100
Moncton, N.B. E1C 1C4

Contact: Lyne Roy
Telephone: (506) 858-1650
TTY: (506) 858-1657
Fax: (506) 855-6776
E-mail: inclusion@ccrw.org
Web Site: www.ccrw.org

Employment counseling services for persons with disabilities. Services available in English and French.

CENTRE DE RESSOURCES VIE AUTONOME : RÉGION PÉNINSULE ACADIENNE INC.

Émilie Haché, Director
183-B JD Gauthier Boulevard
Shippagan, N.B. E8S 1M8

Telephone: (506) 336-1304
Fax: (506) 336-1322
E-mail: crvapa@nb.aibn.com
Website: www.crva-pa.ca

The mission of the Centre de Ressources Vie Autonome is to meet the needs of people with disabilities and support them in reaching autonomy by creating and managing the programs needed to realize their full potential.

The centre has more than 300 members and is controlled by their users, is cross-disability and community based. The basic programs include: information and networking; peer support; independent living skills/individual advocacy and community development programs. Services available also include job search assistance and training; literacy for persons with disabilities and social and cultural activities. Language normally used is French although services are available in both official languages.

CEREBRAL PALSY FOUNDATION (SAINT JOHN) INC.

P. O. Box 2152
Saint John, N.B. E2L 3V1

Telephone: (506) 648-0322
E-mail: mail@cpfsj.ca
Website: www.cpfsj.ca

The main focus of this foundation is the person with cerebral palsy. At present it provides assistance to children and adults with cerebral palsy who need special equipment. Fund-raising activities are held throughout the year and literature is sent to individuals on request. Services available in English.

CHALEUR SERVICES NETWORK INC. (Réseau Services Chaleur Inc.)

Gilberte Pitre, Executive Director
268 Boudreau Street
Beresford, N.B. E8K 2G2

Telephone: (506) 542-9406
Fax: (506) 542-1087

This group offers a self-help service, advocates for the rights of persons with disabilities and acts to create awareness about the situation of persons with disabilities among the public and other kinds of groups and government departments. All persons with disabilities and their families from the Chaleur area are invited to attend their meetings. Services available in English and French.

CHARGE SYNDROME CANADA

National Office:
CHARGE Syndrome Canada
Community Mail Box, Suite 28
20 Haven Avenue
Devon, Alberta T9G 2B9

Telephone: (780) 288-4649
E-mail: info@chargesyndrome.ca
Website: www.chargesyndrome.ca

Atlantic Provinces Representative:
Contact: Lisa Weir, Past President
57 Meadowbank Avenue
Saint John, N.B. E2K 2C7

CHARGE Syndrome Canada promotes the awareness and recognition of persons with CHARGE syndrome in Canada, and provides information to these individuals, their families, professionals and the Canadian public.

CHILDHOOD CANCER FOUNDATION - CANDLELIGHTERS CANADA

Provincial Director:
Sheila Robichaud
471 Bryson Road
Nasonworth, N.B. E3B 8E4

Telephone: (506) 452-1110 (w)
(506) 455-5008 (h)
Fax: (506) 459-4501
E-mail: chisrobi@nbnet.nb.ca
Website: www.candlelighters.ca

The Childhood Cancer Foundation ~ Candlelighters Canada is a national support and information network with international affiliation. It is dedicated to enhancing the quality of life of children and teens with cancer, their families and all those who care for and about them.

There are two parent support groups in New Brunswick:

FREDERICTON - Anne Ouellette
Social Work Department
Dr. Everett Chalmers Hospital
P.O. Box 9000
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 5N5

Telephone: (506) 452-5725 (w)
(506) 459-3827 (h)
Fax: (506) 452-5947
E-mail: anne.ouellette@rvh.nb.ca

SAINT JOHN - Wanda McLean
Candlelighters - Saint John
39 McKay Loop Road
Pennfield, N.B. E5H 2K3

Telephone: (506) 466-2320 (w)
(506) 755-6535 (h)
Fax: (506) 466-5258
E-mail:mcleandw@nb.sympatico.ca

CHIMO HELPLINE, INC. -- Fredericton

Lindsay Manuel, Executive Director
P. O. Box 1033
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 5C2

Telephone: (506) 450-2937
Helpline: (506) 450-HELP [4357]
Toll-free: (800) 667-5005
Fax: (506) 450-2156
E-mail: chimo1@nb.aibn.com
Website: www.chimohelpline.ca

Chimo is a provincial toll-free telephone service, which provides confidential, bilingual crisis intervention services to all residents of New Brunswick. Chimo's service is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

No matter what the problem, big or small – thoughts of suicide, drug dependency, domestic abuse and more. A trained volunteer or staff will answer by responding calmly, competently and in complete confidence.

Help, province-wide, just a phone call away.

CHRONIC PAIN ASSOCIATION OF CANADA (THE)

Contact: Barry D. Ulmer
Box 66017, Heritage RPO
Edmonton, Alberta T6J 6T4

Telephone: (780) 482-6727
Fax: (780) 433-3128
E-mail: cpac@chronicpaincanada.com
Website: www.chronicpaincanada.com

Our purpose is to provide support to people living with chronic pain. We do this through local support groups, education forums, newsletters, and written information upon request. We help people deal with their pain in a positive way and promote the "from patient to person" role model. Offers a helping hand and a caring ear to those willing to help themselves and become partners in managing their pain. Services available in English.

COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS OF N.B.

Dr. Ed Schollenberg, Registrar
1 Hampton Road, Suite 300
Rothesay, N.B. E2E 5K8

Telephone: (506) 849-5050
Toll-free: (800) 667-4641
Fax: (506) 849-5069
E-mail: info@cpsnb.org
Website: www.cpsnb.org

This College is responsible under Provincial Legislation for the regulation of the practice of medicine in N.B. It decides on the requirements for a license to practise medicine, registers medical doctors and issues licenses and decides who may be legally recognized as a specialist in any of the medical or surgical specialties. It also handles inquiries for complaints concerning members of the medical profession and may take legal action against persons practising medicine without registration with the College.

COLLEGE OF PHYSIOTHERAPISTS OF N.B.

Krista Sweet, President
Rebecca Bourdage, Executive Director
28 – 32 King Street, Suite 4E
Saint John, N.B. E2L 1G3

Telephone: (506) 642-9760
Fax: (506) 642-9770
E-mail: physionb@nbnet.nb.ca
Website: www.nbphysiocollege.ca

This College regulates the practice of physiotherapy in N.B., sets practice standards, issues licences and deals with patients' concerns about physiotherapy care.

COLLEGE OF PSYCHOLOGISTS OF N.B.

Head Office:
P.O. Box 201, Station A
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 4Y9

Business Office:
238 St. George Street, Suite 5
Moncton, N.B. E1C 1V9

Telephone: (506) 382-1994
Fax: (506) 857-9813
E-mail: cpnb@nbnet.nb.ca
Website: www.cpnb.ca

The College of Psychologists of New Brunswick (CPNB) is a regulatory body for licensing psychologists to practise in the province of New Brunswick. The college provides a directory of licensed members and receives complaints regarding professional conduct. Services available in English and French.

The CPNB is also responsible for the promotion of the psychology profession in New Brunswick.

COMMUNITY AUTISM CENTRE INC.

55 Westmorland Road
Saint John, N.B. E2J 2E3

Contact: Debbie McDonald
Telephone: (506) 642-1128
Fax: (506) 693-7634
E-mail: n6edi@nb.aibn.com
Website: http://groups.msn.com/CACIdiscussiongroup/caci.msnw

The Community Autism Centre Inc. provides resources, training, support and programs for persons diagnosed with Autism Spectrum Disorder and related neurological disorders. Services are available in English, however, resource information is available in both English and French.

COMMUNITY INCLUSION - NEW BRUNSWICK ASSOCIATION FOR COMMUNITY LIVING

Provincial Office:
440 Wilsey Road, Suite 209
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 7G5

Telephone: (506) 453-4400
Fax: (506) 453-4422
Toll-free: (866) NBACL-4U
[622-2548]
E-mail: nbacl@nbnet.nb.ca
Website: www.nbacl.nb.ca

The New Brunswick Association for Community Living's Community Inclusion Project is focused on helping the community grow stronger with the contributions of people with intellectual disabilities so that our community includes everyone. The Community Inclusion facilitators are available to assist groups or associations become more inclusive, help individuals become connected with community activities and/or organizations and provide support to those who would like to get more involved in their community. October is Inclusion Month in New Brunswick. Please contact us to find out about some of the activities in the province, of which we are a part of and promote, an Inclusive Society! We have staff/volunteers available to visit school and businesses, to conduct workshops and do presentations (in both English and French) on how to become more inclusive.
Community Inclusive Facilitators can be contacted at the following:

SAINT JOHN - 1 Garrison Drive
Rothesay, N.B.
E2H 2V2

Contact: Ken Pike
Telephone: (506) 847-9153
E-mail: pikes@fundy.net

COMMUNITY INFORMATION CENTRE

c/o Human Development Council
47 Charlotte Street
3rd Floor, City Market
P. O. Box 6125, Station A
Saint John, N.B. E2L 4R6

Telephone (INFO-Line): (506) 633-4636
Toll-free: (877) 322-4636
Admin: (506) 634-1673
Fax: (506) 636-8543
E-mail: infoline@nb.aibn.com
Online Database: saintjohn.cioc.ca
Website: humandevelopmentcouncil.nb.ca

The Community Information Centre is an Information and Referral service operated by the Human Development Council. The Community Information Centre's inquiry services provide information on the full range of human services from all levels of government, the non-profit sector, the private voluntary sector by individuals in the community as well as from the business sector.

Individualized information is free, confidential and available to everyone. Services are provided by telephone, in person, email and the Internet.

Produces the following:

1. Human Services Directory, a guide to community services
2. Senior's Directory
3. Youth Guide
4. Reaching Out
5. Holiday Sharing Guide
6. Community Services Database: an online searchable database of services (http://saintjohn.cioc.ca)

Area Served: Charlotte County, Kings County, St. John County; A United Way Agency; Partially Accessible-Elevator; Registered Charity

COMMUNITY LIVING BOARD - FUNDY REGION INC.

P. O. Box 875
Saint John, N.B. E2L 4C3

Telephone: (506) 633-0000
Fax: (506) 636-8888
E-mail: clbfri@nb.aibn.com

The role of this organization is to advocate, teach, train and lobby so that persons with disabilities have a chance to live a life of dignity in their community.

COMMUNITY LIVING OPTIONS INC.

Virginia Leavitt
P. O. Box 1255
Saint John, N.B. E2L 4G7

Telephone: (506) 696-5050
E-mail: gleavitt@nbnet.nb.ca

Provides adults living with an intellectual disability with opportunities for supported living in the lifestyle of their choice. They believe that everyone has the right to: Valued Adult Roles, Assured Community Presence, Empowerment of Rights and Autonomy, Life Sharing Experiences, Enhanced Status and Reputation, Choices and Decision-Making, Community Participation, Independence/Interdependence and Development of Skills.

COMMUNITY MEALS-ON-WHEELS

Deborah McFee, Executive Director
199 Chesley Drive
Suite 102
Saint John, N.B. E2K 4S9

Telephone: (506) 658-1888
Cell: (506) 639-8723
Fax: (506) 657-9791
E-mail: mealsonwheels@nb.aibn.com /
debmcfee@nb.aibn.com
Website: www.mealsonwheelssj.ca

A program whereby hot nutritious noon meals are delivered by volunteers, Monday to Friday, to those who are unable for reasons of health, ability or motivation to prepare adequate meals for themselves. A frozen meal program is also offered to supplement daily or weekend requirements. Staff and volunteers are available to visit schools and businesses, to conduct workshops and do presentations. Services provided in English.

COMMUNITY RESIDENTIAL LIVING BOARD WOODSTOCK INC.

Leonard Foster, Director
480 Main Street, Unit 4
Woodstock, N.B. E7M 2C1

Telephone: (506) 325-4536
Fax: (506) 325-4537

Promotes residential services to adults with mental disabilities from the Carleton and Victoria counties. This community-based, non-profit organization works to provide a wide range of living options for persons with mental disabilities. It is also associated with the New Brunswick Association for Community Living. Trained staff is available to conduct workshops and presentations. Please call for more information.

COMMUNITY YOUTH SERVICES INC.

Jocylene Hodder-Boyd, House Supervisor
TARA House
58 Elliot Drive
Sussex, N.B. E4E 2K3

Telephone: (506) 432-2604
Fax: (506) 432-2605
E-mail: cys@nb.sympatico.ca

This is a Training and Relief Aid (TARA) House for special, social and psychological needs children from infancy to 18 years of age, which provides short-term residential care, emergency placements, relief care and specific training for children. Children may receive placement at TARA through the Department Family and Community Services. Also, the Administrator is available to conduct presentations on request.

CONQUEROR'S CLUB INC.

c/o Mildred Dickinson
10 Deal Road
Lakeville, N.B. E7K 1K5

Telephone: (506) 276-4862
(Club House)

This social community group acts as a coordinating body to provide recreational facilities and activities to the general public with an emphasis on participation by persons with disabilities. For example, they annually sponsor children with disabilities to attend Camp Rotary for persons with disabilities.

The meetings of this group are held on the first Wednesday of each month. The first part of the meeting consists of a business meeting and is followed by a social gathering at their own hall in Lakeville.

CROHNS AND COLITIS FOUNDATION OF CANADA

National Office:
600 - 60 St. Clair Avenue East
Toronto, Ontario M4T 1N5
Telephone: (416) 920-5035
Toll-free: (800) 387-1479
Fax: (416) 929-0364
E-mail: ccfc@ccfc.ca
Website: www.ccfc.ca

Regional Office:
Contact: Tracy Durkee-Jones, Regional Director
5816 St. Margaret's Bay Road
Head of St. Margaret's Bay, N.S. B3Z 2E4
Telephone: (902) 422-8137
Toll-free: (800) 265-1101
Fax: (902) 422-6552
E-mail: tdurkee-jones@ccfc.ca
Website: www.ccfc.ca

This Foundation is committed to raising money for research to find the cause and cure for inflammatory bowel disease. Local chapters contribute to this effort, along with holding educational meetings.

The chapters in New Brunswick are located in Fredericton, Moncton and Miramichi. Information can be obtained by calling the regional office at (800) 265-1101.

DIAL-A-BUS

City of Fredericton
Transit Department
P. O. Box 130
470 St. Mary's Street
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 4Y7

Telephone: (506) 460-2212
Fax: (506) 460-2211

Transportation system for persons with disabilities and senior citizens who must be registered users. They also have limited taxi service. Anyone who needs its services must call and reserve 24 hours in advance. Registration is through Easter Seals New Brunswick [call (506) 458-8739]. Services available in English. Hours of operation are:

Monday to Friday -	7:00 a.m. - 11:00 p.m.
Saturday -	9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. and 7:15 p.m. - 11:00 p.m.

Dial-A-Bus has a service available to "scooter" mobility aid users. A scooter lift has been installed on a minivan operated by our taxi contractor.

DISTRICT 8 PARENT SUPPORT FOR FAMILIES OF CHILDREN WITH EXCEPTIONALITIES

Krista Murphy
819 Danells Drive
Saint John, N.B. E2M 5A9

Telephone: (506) 674-1143
Fax (call ahead): (506) 674-1143
E-mail: district8parentsupport@rogers.com
Website:
http://ca.geocities.com/district8parentsupport@rogers.com/index.html

We offer support to families going through the educational system and its many processes. We have monthly meetings and a website. Services available in English.

DYSTONIA MEDICAL RESEARCH FOUNDATION CANADA

Sarah Smith, National Director
8 King Street East, Suite 106
Toronto, ON M5C 1B5

Telephone(English): (416) 488-6974
or: (800) 361-8061
Telephone (French): (312) 803-0138
E-mail: info@dystoniacanada.org
Website: www.dystonia-foundation.org

Founded in 1976, the mission of the Dystonia Medical Research Foundation Canada is to advance research for more treatments and ultimately a cure; to promote awareness and education; and to support the needs and well being of affected individuals and families. Dystonia is a neurological movement disorder characterized by involuntary muscle contractions, which force certain parts of the body into abnormal, sometimes painful, movements or postures.

DYSTONIA SUPPORT GROUP OF N.B.

Edna Jordan
1198 Route 620 Hwy
Estey's Bridge, N.B. E3A 6K4

Telephone: (506) 453-0708

Through meetings and newsletters, the Dystonia Support Group of N.B. provides support, encouragement and information to anyone suffering from Dystonia. By raising awareness and conducting fundraisers for Dystonia, they are contributing to the Canadian Dystonia research presently being conducted so that a cure may be found.

EARLY INTERVENTION PROGRAM

919 Prospect Street, Suite 80
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 2T7

Contact: Linda Beebe
Telephone: (506) 454-8698 (ext. 106)
Fax: (506) 443-0209
E-mail: frederictonei@rogers.com

The Early Intervention Program is a home-based support and teaching program designed to give children a good start in life. Parents are offered guidance and information on child development and parenting skills. The program is designed to help children optimize their development and become school-ready. An extensive resource library is also available for families.

The following is a list of all Early Intervention Programs in New Brunswick:

BATHURST - Ginette Boudreau
Early Intervention Center
Centre d'Intervention Précoce
Paquito Inc.
1370 Johnson Avenue
Bathurst, N.B. E2A 3T7
Telephone: (506) 548-8122
Fax: (506) 547-0815
E-mail: paquito@nb.aibn.com

BERTRAND - Janice Duguay
Centre d'Animation L'Arc-En-Ciel
894 Acadiens Boulevard
Bertrand, N.B. E1W 1H6
Telephone: (506) 727-6737
Fax: (506) 727-7855
E-mail: arciel@nbnet.nb.ca

CAMPBELLTON - Monique Gignac
Restigouche Early Intervention
302 - 113 Roseberry Street
Campbellton, N.B. E3N 2G6
Telephone: (506) 753-4161
Fax: (506) 753-7773
E-mail: sfr-rfs@nb.aibn.com

EDMUNDSTON - Constance Martin
Le Développement de l'Enfant
du Madawaska Inc.
106 de l'Église Street
Edmundston, N.B. E3V 1J8
Telephone: (506) 735-3353/3354
Fax: (506) 736-6133
E-mail: demi@nb.aibn.com

GRAND FALLS - Brigitte Lapointe
Service d'intervention précoce AIC
475 Terrace Street
Grand Falls, N.B. E3Z 1B3
Telephone: (506) 475-4068
Fax: (506) 473-5998
E-mail:
brigitte_lapointe@nb.aibn.com
Email:
intervention_precoce@hotmail.com

MONCTON - Fleurette Landry
Early Childhood Stimulation Inc.
102-264 Botsford Street
Moncton, N.B. E1C 4X7
Telephone: (506) 853-0575
Fax: (506) 857-3990
E-mail: fleurette@ecsae.nb.ca

Clare Archibald, Exec. Director
Moncton Headstart Inc.
1111 Mountain Road
Moncton, N.B. E1C 2S9
Telephone: (506) 858-8252
Fax: (506) 857-3170
E-mail: carchibald_headstart@nb.aibn.com

MIRAMICHI- Jane Wood
Northumberland County
Early Intervention Program
1202 Water Street
Moncton, N.B. E1N 1A2
Telephone: (506) 778-6532
Fax: (506) 778-6519
E-mail: janewods@nbnet.nb.ca
E-mail: eic@nbnet.nb.ca

RICHIBUCTO - Lise Saulnier, Director
Programme Premier Pas
13 Commerciale Street
Richibucto, N.B. E4W 3X5
Telephone: (506) 523-7733
Fax: (506) 523-7826
E-mail: liseppp@nb.aibn.com

RIVERVIEW - Susan Stuart
South East Rural Early Intervention
P.O. Box 24051
Riverview, N.B. E1B 4T6
Telephone: (506) 386-4304
Fax: (506) 386-4305
E-mail: susanstuart@rogers.com

SAINT JOHN - Leslie Allan
Early Intervention Program
Trinity Centre
115 Charlotte Street
Saint John, N.B. E2L 2J2
Telephone: (506) 643-2022
Direct Line: (506) 643-2021
Fax: (506) 643-2020
E-mail: lallan@earlyint.com

SHIPPAGAN - Michele Chiasson Bezeau
Service d'Intervention
Préscolaire Inc.
126A JD Gauthier Boulevard
Shippagan, N.B. E8S 1N8
Telephone: (506) 336-3931
Fax: (506) 336-3936
E-mail: sipshippagan@nb.aibn.com

ST. STEPHEN - Louise Bohan
Charlotte County Early
Intervention Inc.
253 Milltown Blvd,.
P.O. Box 254
St. Stephen, N.B. E3L 2X2
Telephone: (506) 466-7575
Fax: (506) 466-7595
E-mail: cccp@nbnet.nb.ca

SUSSEX - Charlena Keenan-Bourque
Sussex and Area Early
Intervention Inc.
717 Main Street, Unit 2
Sussex, N.B. E4E 7H7
Telephone: (506) 432-4590
Personal Line: (506) 432-4539
Fax: (506) 432-4591
E-mail: saeii@nbnet.nb.ca

TRACADIE-SHEILA - Corrine Haché
Programme Intervention
Précoce
3120 Principale Street
Tracadie-Sheila, N.B. E1X 1A2
Telephone: (506) 395-6051
Fax: (506) 395-7475
E-mail: pippip@nbnet.nb.ca

WOODSTOCK - Stacy Lee
Early Intervention Woodstock
106 Richmond Street, Unit 3
Woodstock, N.B. E7M 2N9
Telephone: (506) 325-4493
Fax: (506) 325-4508
E-mail:
earlyint@nbnet.nb.ca

EASTER SEALS NEW BRUNSWICK (CRCD)

65 Brunswick Street
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 1G5
Telephone: (506) 458-8739
(TTY/Voice)
Fax: (506) 457-2863
E-mail: info@easterseals.nb.ca
Website: www.easterseals.nb.ca

Easter Seals New Brunswick is committed to assisting children and adults with physical disabilities to achieve maximum rehabilitation. This is achieved by offering direction to existing services or by using their own resources to provide help that is otherwise unavailable. Clients can access rehabilitation equipment loans for long-term use. Assistance is available for special shoes and travel as well as other types of supports. A means test and application are required.

They also have a Loan Bank of Assessment Equipment from which equipment is loaned out for a 3-week period for assessment purposes only, upon referral of a health professional. Once the assessment is complete, arrangements can be made for either a long-term loan through one of their other programs or for the purchase of the equipment through an appropriate seller.

They have an extensive library of information on various disabilities, rehabilitation equipment, services, etc., which is open to the public from 8:00 am - 5:00 pm, Monday - Friday. Speakers and films are also available on request.
The Polio Survivor's Program offers current information concerning the late effects of polio and maintains a registry of polio survivors.

The repair service conducts various types of equipment repair at their office or by accessing specialists in the field.

Their Rehabilitation Technology Program offers information and consultation about rehabilitation technology to health professionals and persons with disabilities. The program loans specialized electronic aids for assessment or for long-term use. SlideTalk, a computer software program, was developed by this agency to enable children with severe disabilities to communicate. Also, a French and English Disability Awareness Training CD-ROM was designed to increase awareness of needs of persons with disabilities.

The Toy Library provides short term loans of adapted toys for children with disabilities.

They are an affilitate partner of the Canadian Health Network (CHN), a national Internet-based resource that provides easy access to up-to-date, trustworthy health information. It assists with the collection of web resources specifically for people with disabilities and with the development and support of a network of organizations who work in that field.

Staff is available for presentations and exposés.

Camp Rotary runs continuous integrated sessions from mid-June until the end of August. Seventy-six campers can be accommodated per session. The camp property includes a beach area on Grand Lake, a nature trail, a paved recreation area and a heated swimming pool. The camp's therapeutic recreation program offers a wide variety of activities and the camp's aim is to "focus on ability".

EMPLOYMENT OUTREACH PROJECTS AND COUNSELLORS

A personalized service of employment assistance for people facing serious barriers in finding and keeping a job. Assists individuals to identify vocational alternatives and obtain employment consistent with their values, abilities and interests.

BATH/ - WOODSTOCK
Employment Assistance
Service, Carleton-Victoria
Community Vocational Board, Inc.
668 Main Street
Woodstock, N.B. E7M 2C8

Contact: Kim Bulmer-Thibodeau
Telephone: (506) 328-4911
Fax: (506) 328-4916

BATHURST -
CNIB Employment Outreach
Blind and Visually Impaired
270 Douglas Avenue, Suite 100
Bathurst, N.B. E2A 1M9

Contact: Scott Soucy
Telephone: (506) 546-9922
Fax: (506) 546-0179
Email: scott.soucy@cnib.ca

EDMUNDSTON - EmploiHabilité Plus
1 Canada Road
Edmundston, N.B. E3V 1T6
Contact: Gisèle Hachey
Telephone: (506) 737-1860 ext. 4
Fax: (506) 737-1862
TTY: (506) 737-1876
E-mail: gisele.hachey@nb.aibn.com
Sign language interpreter can be provided.

FREDERICTON - CNIB
231 Saunders Street
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 1N5
Contact: Blair Young
Telephone: (506) 458-0060
Fax: (506) 458-9219
E-mail: blair.young@cnib.ca

FREDERICTON - CPA (N.B.) Inc.
440 Wilsey Road, Suite 102
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 7G5
Telephone: (506) 462-9555
Toll Free: (866) 462-9555
Fax: (506) 458-9134

MONCTON - CPA (N.B.) Inc.
236 St. George Street, Suite 20
Moncton, N.B. E1C 1W1
Contact: Dean Babineau
Telephone: (506) 858-0311
Fax: (506) 858-8290
E-mail: dbabineau@canparaplegic.org

MONCTON - CNIB Technology Consultation
Eastern Region NB
118 Highfield Street
Moncton, N.B. E1C 5N7
Contact: Mireille Lavoie
Telephone: (506) 857-4240
Fax: (506) 857-3019
E-mail: mireille.lavoie@cnib.ca
Website: www.cnib.ca

PERTH ANDOVER/ WOODSTOCK/ PLASTER ROCK - Employment Assistance Service, Carleton-Victoria Community Vocational Board, Inc.
344 East Riverside Drive
Perth Andover, N.B. E7H 1Y5
Contact: Fancine St. Amand
Telephone: (506) 273-6867
Fax: (506) 273-9299

PERTH ANDOVER/ PLASTER ROCK/ BATH - Supported Training & Employment Programs, Transition Program
Carleton-Victoria Vocational Board, Inc.
344 East Riverside Drive
Perth Andover, N.B. E7H 1Y5
Contact: Ann Bunker
Telephone: (506) 273-6866
Fax: (506) 273-9299
E-mail: abunker@nbnet.nb.ca

PLASTER ROCK - Employment Assistance Service
Carleton-Victoria Community
Vocational Board, Inc.
263 Main Street, Unit 4
Plaster Rock, N.B. E7G 2G4
Contact: Theresa Thomas
Telephone: (506) 356-8185
Fax: (506) 356-2003

SAINT JOHN - CNIB Technology Services
Blind and Visually Impaired
160 Union Street
Saint John, N.B. E2L 1A8
Contact: Blair Young
Telephone: (506) 634-6922
Fax: (506) 634-7202
E-mail: blair.young@cnib.ca

SAINT JOHN - Options Employment Outreach, Inc.
165 Union Street, Suite 201
Saint John, N.B. E2L 5C7
Contact: Rhonda Thibeault
Telephone: (506) 652-3977
TTY: (506) 658-1453
Fax: (506) 658-1452
E-mail: options@nb.aibn.com

ST. STEPHEN - Working: Stronger Together
41 King Street
St. Stephen, N.B. E3L 2C1
Contact: Christina Lindsay
Telephone: (506) 466-7566
Fax: (506) 466-7501
E-mail: wst@nb.aibn.com

SUSSEX - Outreach Employment Services
100 Leonard Drive
Sussex, N.B. E4E 2R2
Contact: Wanda Green
Telephone: (506) 432-7500
Fax: (506) 432-7510
E-mail: crosswin@nbnet.nb.ca

WOODSTOCK - Employment Assistance Service
Carleton Victoria Community
Vocational Board, Inc.
668 Main Street, Unit 1
Woodstock, N.B. E7M 2C8
Contact: Gail Wright
Telephone: (506) 328-4927
Fax: (506) 328-4916

WOODSTOCK - Career Information Centre
Carleton-Victoria Community
Vocational Board, Inc.
680 Main Street, Unit 1
Woodstock, N.B. E7M 5Z9
Contact: Betty Parker
Telephone: (506) 325-3927
Fax: (506) 328-6843
Email: rcwoodstock@nb.aibn.com

EMPLOYMENT SERVICES

Please note that the Premier's Council has another separate ***"Directory of Career Counseling and Job Placement Services"*** which covers government and non-profit sector groups.

Copies are available by using our website (www.gnb.ca/0048) or calling the office.

EPILEPSY CANADA

Dr. Donald Weaver, President
308 – 1 Promenade Circle
Thornhill, Ontario L4J 4P8

Toll-Free: (877) SEIZURE [734-0873]
Fax: (905) 764-1231
E-mail: epilepsy@epilepsy.ca
Website: www.epilepsy.ca
Epilepsy Association of Nova Scotia: (866) 374-2633

The mission of Epilepsy Canada is to enhance the quality of life for persons affected by epilepsy through promotion and support of research and facilitation of education and awareness initiatives that build understanding and acceptance of epilepsy.

FAMILY ENRICHMENT & COUNSELLING SERVICES, INC.

618 Queen Street
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 1C2

Telephone: (506) 458-8211
Fax: (506) 451-9437
E-mail: fsf@nb.aibn.com

Counselling services and family-life education programs are offered to all individuals and families who need assistance in meeting financial, personal, family or social problems. Fees vary with income and ability to pay.

FAMILY INCOME SECURITY APPEAL BOARD

P.O. Box 1032
Saint-Antoine, N.B. E4V 3H3

Contact: Shauna LeBlanc, Coordinator
Telephone: (506) 525-4007
Fax: (506) 525-4008
E-mail: Shauna.Leblanc@gnb.ca
Website: www.gnb.ca/0017/appeal_boards/index-e.asp

The Family Income Security Appeal Board is the final step in a three-tiered appeal process. The first two steps are internal administrative reviews; the third and final step is an appeal to an external review body, the Family Income Security Appeal Board. The Board is required by its quasi-judicial nature, to conduct hearings in a court-like manner, although less formally, while still applying the rules of natural justice. The Board must provide a fair and unbiased assessment of the facts presented to them during a hearing.

The Appeal Board hears cases at the request of appellants relating to matters under the jurisdiction of the ***Family Income Security Act and Regulations***, initiated by the Department of Family and Community Services. Services available in English and French.

FAMILY SERVICE MONCTON INC.

Maurice D. LeBlanc, CEO
120 High Street
Moncton, N.B. E1C 6B5

Telephone: (506) 857-3258
Fax: (506) 858-8315
E-mail: fsmoncton@rogers.com
Website: www.fsmoncton.com

Offers professional counseling services and family-life education programs to all individuals and families who need assistance in meeting personal, family or social problems. Fees vary with income and ability to pay.

FÉDÉRATION DES GUIDES DU N.-B. (francophone)

Monique Roy, Executive Director
559 Route 530
Grande-Digue, N.B. E4R 5E2

Telephone: (506) 533-9552
Fax: (506) 532-8371
E-mail: nbfede@yahoo.ca

This organization provides recreational activities which enhance the personal development of girls 6 to 20 years of age. Girls with physical or mild mental or emotional disabilities can be part of the movement.

FÉDÉRATION DES SCOUTS DE L'ATLANTIQUE

Denyse Pelletier, President
126 Gerard Road
Haut Saint-Antoine, N.B. E4V 3B1

Telephone: (506) 525-2093
Fax: (506) 525-9548
E-mail: scoutatl@nb.sympatico.ca

This organization provides recreational activities which enhance the personal development of French youths (boys and girls) 7 to 21 years of age. Youths with physical, visual or hearing disabilities, speech or learning disabilities, or mild mental or emotional disabilities can participate in this movement. Services available in French.

FREDERICTON AREA WELL SPOUSE SUPPORT GROUP

140 Royal Road
Fredericton, N.B. E3A 9H6

Contact: Richard Anderson
Telephone: (506) 452-4810 (w)
(506) 459-8554 (h)
(506) 447-9213 (cell)
leave a message
Fax: (506) 452-3316
E-mail: voyager@nbnet.nb.ca

The Fredericton Area Well Spouse Support Group allows caregivers of partners or spouses to talk to others who are very familiar with their situations, and share enjoyable activities with their Well Spouse Friends. A Well Spouse is a husband, wife, or common-law partner who is a caregiver for his or her chronically-ill or disabled spouse or partner - and who recognizes and takes care of their own needs as well. It's a kind of time-out, or break for people who are normally on duty 24/7, the year round. Meetings are held on the 3rd Wednesday of each month from 7:30 – 9:30 PM in the upstairs meeting room at the Muriel McQueen Centre, 678 Windsor Street, Fredericton.

FREDERICTON ASSOCIATION OF THE DEAF, INC.

836 Back Tracy Road
Upper Tracy, N.B. E5L 1H2

Contact: Wayne Durand
Telephone: (506) 368-7364 (TTY only)
Fax: (506) 368-2394
E-mail: wdurand@nbnet.nb.ca

Promotes awareness of deaf issues to the community, as well as the importance of American Sign Language to people who are deaf. Helps educate people who are deaf through books, seminars, and personal instruction. Also holds social activities as deemed necessary to foster greater participation in the organization by the deaf members of the community.

FREDERICTON COMMUNITY LIVING SOCIETY

Susan Boucher, Owner/Operator
136 Hedgeview Drive
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 6S3

Telephone: (506) 457-1020
Fax: (506) 457-1020

The Fredericton Community Living Society provides supported homes for persons having a mental challenge and require a place to live. Services available in English.

FREDERICTON THERAPEUTIC RIDING ASSOCIATION

737 Dobie Street
Fredericton, N.B. E3A 2Z3

Contact: Lloyd V. Boyd, Dir.
Telephone: (506) 458-9330
Fax: (506) 458-1325
E-mail: lvboyd@rogers.com

The Fredericton Therapeutic Riding Association is a non-profit organization dedicated to providing therapeutic horseback riding to individuals with a physical and/or cognitive disability such as Cerebral Palsy, Developmental Delay, ADHD, Down Syndrome, and Spina Bifida. Our program provides opportunities for individuals to learn to ride while at the same time working on physical, cognitive and psychosocial goals.

GIRL GUIDES OF CANADA

New Brunswick Council:
55 Rothesay Avenue
Saint John, N.B. E2J 2B2

Telephone: (506) 634-0808
Toll-Free: (800) 565-8111
Fax: (506) 634-0908
E-mail: shopnbc@nb.aibn.com
Website: www.girlguides.nb.ca

Provincial Advisor:
Erin Frontain
34 Balmoral Avenue
Riverview, N.B. E1B 2P6

Telephone: (506) 386-5272
Cell: (506) 381-9248
E-mail: frogprince0224@hotmail.com

Provides opportunities designed to help girls and young women become responsible citizens able to give leadership and service to the community, whether local, national or global. Services are offered to most children with disabilities, according to local resources.

GREATER MONCTON DOWN SYNDROME SOCIETY INC.

Kate Cober, Chairperson
P.O. Box 29070
Moncton, N.B. E1G 4R3

Telephone: (506) 387-8592
Fax: (506) 387-8592
E-mail: grmctdss@rogers.com
Website: www.greatermonctondss.com

The Greater Moncton Down Syndrome Society Inc. began supporting and providing services to families living within the Greater Moncton area in June 2001. We offer to families: educators, medical professionals, up to date information about Down syndrome and provide resources pertaining to Down syndrome. National Down Syndrome Awareness Week is November 1-7. Membership for families is free. We offer an information and hospital packet upon visiting a new family in hospital.

GREATER SAINT JOHN FIBROMYALGIA GROUP

17 Kensington Avenue
Saint John, N.B. E2E 2T9

Contact: Debra McIntyre
Telephone: (506) 847-7114

The Greater Saint John Fibromyalgia Group offers an information packet on both Fibromyalgia and Chronic Fatigue Syndrome. We offer information and support by phone and meet socially twice a year. We stress self-management and explore alternative therapies. Services available in English.

HANDI-BUS (A division of Independence Plus Incorporated)

66 Waterloo Street, Suite 115
Saint John, N.B. E2L 3P4

Telephone: (506) 648-0609
Fax: (506) 643-7009

An accessible transit system serving persons with mobility impairments, special needs and seniors unable to utilize regular public transit system. Covers greater Saint John area. Handi-Bus is a non-profit operation and is subsidized by the Saint John Transit Commission. Service operates Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 7am to 6:30 pm, Tuesdays and Thursdays from 7am to 10pm, and Saturdays from 11am to 6pm, with extended hours upon request for special events. Additional service available to contract rates. Reservations requested 48 hours in advance if possible.

Priority given to passengers in wheelchairs and for employment, educational purposes, medical appointments and day programs.

Individual one way cash trips within city limits - $5.00
Monthly passes available - $75.00 for 20 trips and $40.00 for ten trips.
Office hours from 8 am to 4:30 pm for bookings.
After hours leave message for next day response.
Services available in English.

HARBOUR FAMILY SUPPORT SERVICES (THE)

Adrien Mazerolle, Executive Director
17 Commerciale Street
Richibucto, N.B. E4W 3X5

Telephone: (506) 523-6790
Fax: (506) 523-1992
Email: havre@nbnet.nb.ca
Website: www.lehavrecom.ca

The Harbour Family Support Services offers:

- support and respite services to children and adults with special needs;
- residential services to persons with special needs.

Services available in English and French.

HARVEY OUTREACH FOR SENIORS

Bev Weeks/Trudy Donahue
2019 Route 3
Harvey Station, N.B. E6K 3E9

Telephone: (506) 366-3017
Fax: (506) 366-2927
E-mail: hofs@nb.aibn.com

Harvey Outreach for Seniors provides in home support to seniors, disabled adults and special needs children and children under protection; attendant care workers; home support workers; homemakers and sitters; meals on wheels, a frozen meal program; foot care clinic; Lifeline program; out-patient whirlpool bath program; telephone reassurance; friendly visitors; special equipment loan program; transportation; and general information on senior and disabled programs.

HEART AND STROKE FOUNDATION OF N.B.

Heather Erb-Campbell, Executive Director
110 Crown Street, Suite 340
Saint John, N.B. E2L 2X7

Telephone: (506) 634-1620
Toll Free: (800) 663-3600
Fax: (506) 648-0098
E-mail: heart.stroke@hsf.nb.ca
Website: www.heartandstroke.ca

The Mission of the Heart and Stroke Foundation of New Brunswick is to improve the health of New Brunswickers by preventing and reducing disability and death from heart disease and stroke through research, health promotion and advocacy.

The Foundation works towards its mission through research and education programs. There are many heart health promotion programs available from the Foundation as well as up-to-date literature about heart disease and stroke. CPR training, Advanced Cardiac Life Support, Workplace Wellness, Heart Smart Nutrition Counseling and Jump Rope for Heart are just a few of the programs available.

Funds are raised for the work of the Foundation through an annual door-to-door campaign in February, memoriam program and various special events.

HELP-24-AU SECOURS INC. -- Moncton

P. O. Box 1101
Moncton, N.B. E1C 8P6

Telephone: (506) 857-9782
Help-line: (506) 859-HELP [4357]
Fax: (506) 855-5150

Help-24-Au Secours Inc. is a bilingual telephone listening service, a referral service and a suicide prevention service in the Greater Moncton area. They are there for anyone who needs a friend who will listen and can be trusted, without judging or preaching. Just caring! The help-line offers immediacy, anonymity and confidentiality. Their hours are from 4:00 pm - 8:00 am, seven days a week.

HELPLINE INC. (OROMOCTO AREA FOOD, CLOTHING AND FURNITURE BANK)

74 Iroquois Avenue
Oromocto, N.B. E2V 2A1

Telephone: (506) 357-3461
Fax: (506) 446-6168
E-mail: ofb@nb.aibn.com

We provide assistance to people in the following areas:
- Income assistance
- Pensions
- Low fixed income
- Unemployment
- Seniors on pensions
- Other financial limitations
- Employed people who require assistance
- No income

Our service area includes: Oromocto, Burton, Upper Gagetown, Sheffield, Maugerville, Wirral, Hoyt, Enniskillen, Blissville, Fredericton Jct., Tracy, Rusagonis, Lincoln, and Geary. Office hours are Monday to Friday from 9:00am-12:00pm and 1:00pm-4:00pm. We are open for food distribution Tuesdays and Thursdays from 10:30am-12:00pm and 1:00pm-2:30pm.

For more details and other services available, call our office. Services available in English, although we have a bilingual staff person to assist with French speaking clients.

HOPE AIR

Procter & Gamble Building
4711 Yonge Street, Suite 703
Toronto, Ontario M2N 6K8

Telephone: (416) 222-6335
Toll-Free: (877) 346-HOPE [4673]
Fax: (416) 222-6930
E-mail: mail@hopeair.org
Website: www.hopeair.org

Hope Air is a national, charitable organization that provides air transportation to Canadians in financial need who must travel between their own communities and recognized facilities for medical care. Hope Air arranges flights for patients of all ages and illness groups using donated seats on corporate, commercial, private and government aircraft. Clients pay a $50 processing fee per return ticket. We require 4 weeks notice. Services available in English and French.

Contact Hope Air for more information about the program, who is eligible for assistance and how to request transportation.

HOSPICES

The following hospices may provide some of the following: practical, emotional, spiritual and bereavement support to persons who are terminally ill and their families:

SAINT JOHN/ SUSSEX -
Hospice of Greater Saint John, Inc.
282 Douglas Avenue
Saint John, N.B. E2K 1E7
Attn: Sandy Johnson, Executive Director
Telephone: (506) 632-5723
Fax: (506) 632-5592
E-mail: sjohnson@hospicesj.ca
Website: www. hospicesj.ca

SHEDIAC -
Hospice Shediac Inc.
c/o Rina Cassidy
PO Box 8962
Shédiac, N.B. E4P 8W5
Telephone: (506) 532-8598
Fax: (506) 533-9348
Email: crcfb@nbnet.nb.ca

CHARLOTTE COUNTY -
Hospice of Charlotte
P.O. Box 154
St. Stephen, N.B. E3L 2X1
Attn: Jennifer Anderson, Volunteer Services Co-ordinator
Services available in English.
Telephone: (506) 465-0800
Fax: (506) 465-8073
Email: hospice@nb.aibn.com

HOWARD HENDERSON HOUSE, INC.

Cathy MacDonald, Director
225 Wellington Street
Miramichi, N.B. E1N 1N1
Telephone: (506) 773-6522

Howard Henderson House, Inc. is a community residence for nine adults who have varying degrees of needs and who are labelled as mentally and physically challenged. It provides support, life skills training and some job exposure training, as well as 24-hour supervision. Services available in English.

HUMAN DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL

Randall Hatfield, Executive Director
47 Charlotte Street, 3rd Floor
P.O. Box 6125, Station A
Saint John, N.B. E2L 4R6
Telephone: (506) 634-1673
Fax: (506) 636-8543
E-mail: hdc@nbnet.nb.ca
Website: www.humandevelopmentcouncil.nb.ca

The Human Development Council promotes and co-ordinates social development in the greater Saint John area. Through agency cooperation and community development, the Council involves citizens, agencies, government, and the private sector in addressing social issues and concerns.

The Council also links individuals and organizations with services in the community through the Community Information Centre, NEXUS, an inter-agency newsletter, and a variety of community service directories and through the online Community Services Database (http://saintjohn.cioc.ca).

HUNTINGTON SOCIETY OF N.B.

National Office:
151 Frederick Street, Suite 400
Kitchener, Ontario N2H 2M2

Telephone: (519) 749-7063
Toll-Free: (800) 998-7398
Fax: (519) 749-8965
E-mail: info@hsc-ca.org
Website: www.huntingtonsociety.org

Develops support and education programs to assist persons with Huntington disease; assists their families to understand and cope; provides information to health professionals; and initiates research into early diagnosis, improved treatment techniques and ultimately a cure.

The following Social Worker is on contract with the Huntington Society, and can provide support to individuals in need:

MONCTON -	Mrs. Marthe Gautreau HSC Social Worker	Telephone: (506) 384-2345

The following is an area representative of the Huntington Society of New Brunswick:

DALHOUSIE -	Nancie Quigley	Telephone: (506) 684-5721

INDEPENDENCE PLUS INCORPORATED

Brenda Seeley, Executive Director
66 Waterloo Street, Suite 115
Saint John, N.B. E2L 3P4

Telephone: (506) 643-7004
Fax: (506) 643-7009
E-mail: n6seeley@nb.aibn.com

Independence Plus Incorporated is a non-profit, incorporated company providing residential services under contract with Family and Community Social Services to physically and/or mentally disabled individuals. The service presently operates three group home settings plus several individual apartments and life share settings to individuals needing less support. The group home settings provide developmental care, not custodial, on a 24-hour basis. Developmental care supports each person in all areas of their lives through life skills teaching and community inclusion.

The majority of residents are referred from Family and Community Social Services with referrals taken from the community, and all persons follow the Case Management concept whereby individual plans are formulated to work toward goals of less dependent living and integration.

INJURED WORKERS' ASSOCIATIONS

This association is composed of injured workers, their spouses and interested others. The group meets several times during the year to share with others who have had similar experiences. They try to find solutions to difficulties encountered in dealing with the Workplace Health, Safety and Compensation Commission of New Brunswick, doctors, employers, family members, etc. They guide each other and, when necessary, seek the assistance of professionals. One of their goals is to inform other workers of their rights when an injury occurs at work.

NORTHUMBERLAND - Northumberland Injured Workers' Association Inc.

Contact: Thomas Connolly, President
Telephone: (506) 622-8101
E-mail: tom_connolly@hotmail.com

PENINSULA - Peninsula Injured Workers' Association Inc.
39 Haché Street
St. Isidore, N.B. E8M 1C8

Contact: Jean-Guy Duguay, President
Telephone: (506) 358-2651
Fax: (506) 358-2960

RESTIGOUCHE - Restigouche Injured Workers' Association Inc.
33 Maple Green Crescent
Dalhousie Junction, N.B. E3N 5Z2
Contact: Donald Fournier, President
Telephone: (506) 789-6241
Fax: (506) 759-7214
E-mail: donpau@nbnet.nb.ca

SOUTHEAST NB - Southeast NB Injured Workers' Association
18 Airport Street
Dieppe, N.B. E1A 2G2
Contact: Ian McDonald
Telephone: (506) 858-9432 (cell)

JOB ACCOMMODATION SERVICE (JAS)

The Canadian Council on Rehabilitation and Work
111 Richmond Street West, Suite 401
Toronto, ON M5H 2G4

Contact: Nayla Farah, Director, Job Accommodation Service

Toll-Free: (800) 664-0925 (ext. 224)
TTY: (416) 260-9223
Voice: (416) 260-3060 (ext. 224)
Fax: (416) 260-3093
E-mail: jas@ccrw.org
Website: www.ccrw.org

The Job Accommodation Service™ (JAS) is a 1-stop shop for workplace accommodation solutions. This Canada-wide and bilingual service offers public and private sector companies of all sizes advice, consultations, and assessment services in order to assist them comply with their legal duty to accommodate. Through an extensive pool of experts, this fee-based service supports employers and employees in setting up an inclusive and healthy environment thereby preventing conflict, managing disability, as well as preventing occupational disability through ergonomic evaluations. The JAS consultants recommend solutions that optimize performance and make diverse and healthy workplaces.

The JAS Assessment Service is a fee-for-service program that provides a consultative assessment of a workplace and of an individual with a disability to determine appropriate job accommodation in order to enable the individual to perform job duties.

Call toll-free Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Services available in English and French.

KIDNEY FOUNDATION OF CANADA

Jennifer Dobbelsteyn, Executive Director
42 Durelle Street, Suite 2
Fredericton, N.B. E3C 1N8

Telephone: (506) 453-0533
Toll-free: (877) 453-0533
Fax: (506) 454-3639
E-mail: kidney@nbnet.nb.ca
Website: www.kidney.ca

The Kidney Foundation of Canada is a national voluntary health organization dedicated to improving the health and quality of life of people living with kidney disease. The Kidney Foundation funds research, provides services for the special needs of individuals living with kidney disease, advocates for access to high quality health care, and actively promotes awareness and commitment to organ donation.

The Kidney Foundation has staff and/or volunteers available to visit schools and businesses, to conduct workshops and do presentations.

KIDS HELP PHONE -- National

Kids Help Phone National Office
439 University Avenue, Suite 300
Toronto, ON M5G 1Y8

Toll-free: (800) 668-6868
Telephone: (416) 586-5437
Fax: (416) 586-0651
E-mail: donna.hansplant@kidshelp.sympatico.ca
Website: http://www.kidshelpphone.ca

Contact: Donna Hansplant
Vice-President, Child and Family Services
(416) 586-5437

Kids Help Phone is Canada's only toll-free, 24-hour, bilingual and anonymous phone counseling, referral and Internet service for children and youth. Every day, professional counsellors provide immediate, caring support to young people in urban and rural communities across the country. Children and teens phone or post online questions about every issue imaginable, including physical, sexual and emotional abuse, drugs and suicide. Services available in English and French.

The Atlantic Provinces Chapter can be reached by contacting:

Shelley Richardson, Regional Director
3433 Dutch Village Road
Halifax, N.S. B3N 2S7

Telephone: (902) 457-4779
Fax: (902) 457-1074
E-mail: shelley.richardson@kidshelp.sympatico.ca

LEARNING DISABILITIES ASSOCIATION OF N.B.

203 - 403 Regent Street
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 3X6

Toll-free: (877) 544-7852
Telephone: (506) 459-7852
Fax: (506) 455-9300
E-mail: ldanb@nald.ca
Website: www.nald.ca/ldanb

This non-profit organization's aim is to foster a better understanding of Learning Disabilities in our community by offering support and information on understanding and coping with learning disabilities to parents/guardians, professionals, as well as to individuals with learning disabilities. As well as being a support group, it promotes public awareness and strives to improve services to children, youths and adults with learning disabilities.

The disorder is an information processing disorder which manifests itself in persons of average to above average capabilities. The most common form is dyslexia (extreme difficulty in the area of reading) that affects an estimated 80% of persons with Learning Disabilities. It also affects the acquisition and use of writing (dysgraphia), listening, speaking, reasoning, mathematical concepts (dyscalculia), or social skills.

They have volunteers available to do presentations at schools, businesses or other groups. As well, they offer Screening for Success Training workshops, Early Childhood workshops in addition to offering an employment program for adults who have or suspect they have a Learning Disability – Destination Employment.

LIONS FOUNDATION OF CANADA DOG GUIDES

152 Wilson Street
P.O. Box 907
Oakville, ON L6J 5E8

Contact: Lynda Bridgeman
Telephone: (905) 842-2891
Toll-Free: (800) 768-3030
TTY: (905) 842-1585
Fax: (905) 842-3373
E-mail: info@dogguides.com
Website: www.dogguides.com

We provide dog guides free-of-charge to Canadians who are blind, visually impaired, deaf or hard of hearing, physically or medically disabled. Our dogs assist our clients in the areas of mobility, safety and independence. Services are available in both English and French.

LITTLE ACRE COMMUNITY RESIDENCE, INC.

10 Prince William Street
St. Stephen, N.B. E3L 1R5

Contact: Sherry Hastey
Telephone: (506) 466-5113
E-mail: Ltacre@nb.aibn.com

A family environment which includes training in self-help skills, community integration, as much independence as possible for each individual, behaviour management programs, and 24-hour supervision with a 3-shift model for staffing purposes. We now serve level III/IV clients.

LUPUS N.B.

Nancy Votour, President
13 Ivan Court, A23
Moncton, N.B. E1C 8T3

Telephone: (506) 384-6227
Toll-Free: (877) 303-8080
Toll-Free (Canada): (800) 661-1468
Fax: (506) 384-6227
E-mail: lupins@rogers.com
Website: www.lupuscanada.org

Lupus New Brunswick is a provincial organization established to offer support to lupus patients and their family, as well as education and public awareness of this chronic inflammatory disease. Services available in English and French.

MACDONALD INDEPENDENT LIVING CENTRE

Phyllis Brisee, Director
36 High Street
Moncton, N.B. E1C 9C3

Telephone: (506) 857-4086
Fax: (506) 855-8045
E-mail: phyllis.brisee@vp-vr.ca
Website: www.nsnet.org/nb/macdonald

The MacDonald Centre offers a unique training program with opportunities for persons with physical disabilities to learn independent living and life skills in preparation for them to eventually move to the community. Participants in the program occupy an apartment during their stay at the Centre. They work with a team of professionals namely, a Home Economist, a Social Worker, an Occupational Therapist and a Supervisor of Attendant Services. These professionals provide training in areas including, but not limited to, Home Care, Meal Preparation, Money Management, Social Skills, Recreation and the ability to direct Attendant Services. The program is set for a period of three years, but this may vary depending on the needs of the participants. There are 34 program apartments. We also offer nine permanent housing units to persons with physical disabilities requiring high levels of attendant care needs. Monthly fee is $160.00.

Additional Services offered:
- Fully accessible gym with personal fitness coordinator training;
- Community Access Centre;
- Summer Learning Experience Program for children with physical disabilities. This is a one week day camp.

MEALS ON WHEELS

Meals on Wheels is a service which delivers full course meals to people who are not able to prepare their own meals. To obtain this service, contact the ***Family and Community Social Services*** office nearest you (see listing on page 19).

MEDICALERT - CANADIAN MEDICALERT FOUNDATION

National Office:
2005 Sheppard Avenue East, Suite 800
Toronto, ON M2J 5B4

Contact: Margaret Valois
Communications Specialist (ext. 1114)

Telephone: (416) 696-0267
Toll-Free: (800) 668-1507
(French) (800) 668-6381
Fax: (416) 696-0156
E-mail: medinfo@medicalert.ca
Website: www.medicalert.ca

MedicAlert® provides a unique combination of medical identification products and services that protect the lives of Canadians with allergies, health conditions or special medical needs. Membership is comprised of the purchase of a custom-engraved MedicAlert® bracelet or necklet coupled with an annual membership fee. Membership services include maintaining a portable medical record on behalf of the member stored on a confidential database. In an emergency, MedicAlert® provides immediate access to a member's vital medical information through the MedicAlert® 24 Hour Emergency Hotline engraved on the bracelet or necklet. Canadian MedicAlert® Foundation is Canada's largest member-based charity, protecting more than one million Canadians. Through Member Assistance™ and KidsProtect™ Assistance, MedicAlert® offers subsidized memberships for Canadians with medical conditions who have limited financial means.

MEIGHEN CENTRE (THE)

Jane Drover, Coordinator
c/o Mount Allison University
Room G-20 Avard Dixon
144 Main Street
Sackville, N.B. E4L 1A7

Telephone: (506) 364-2527
Fax: (506) 364-2641
E-mail: jdrover@mta.ca
Website: www.mta.ca/Research/meighen

Students with an identified learning disability must first gain admission to the University. After being offered admission, they must provide a complete psycho-educational assessment done within the past two years. There must be clear and specific evidence and identification of a learning disability. They must also complete a Supplemental Application Form available from Student Services.

Services offered:

- Orientation to university
- Test accommodations
    - quiet room
    - extra time
    - use of a computer
    - reader
    - scribe
- Academic counseling
- Peer tutors
- Kurzweil text-to-voice
- Consultation
- Advocacy
- One-on-one help with:
    - time management
    - reading comprehension
    - notetaking
    - writing essays and term papers
    - preparing for tests and exams
- Notetakers
- Dragon Naturally Speaking

METRO HEALTH SERVICES INC.

Debbie Maber
P.O. Box 2100
400 University Avenue
Saint John, N.B. E2L 4L2

Telephone: (506) 648-6150
Fax: (506) 652-6692
E-mail: metrohlt@nbnet.nb.ca
Website: www.metrohealthservices.ca

Metro Health Services Inc. provides professional assessment, on-site manufacturing and patient education for persons requiring prosthetic or orthotic devices, speciality wheelchair systems, or orthopedic footwear and custom foot orthotics. Metro offers clients assistance in accessing appropriate funding resources and providing documentation for insurance benefits.

There are staff and volunteers available to visit schools and businesses, to conduct workshops and do presentations. Services available in English although receptionist is available to assist in both official languages.

MINISTRY TO THE DEAF

c/o Moncton Wesleyan Church
945 St. George Boulevard
Moncton, N.B. E1E 2C9

Telephone: (506) 857-2293 or
Jerry & Irma Gildart: (506) 855-1108
Fax: (506) 857-9016
E-mail: jgildart@monctonwesleyan.com

Sign-language interpreter for persons with a hearing impairment attending the Wesleyan Church services in Moncton.

MIRA ATLANTIC FOUNDATION

Pierre Lambert
185 Waverlay Avenue
Moncton, N.B. E1C 7V3

Telephone: (506) 852-9539
Toll-Free: (877) 502-6472
Fax: (506) 860-7660
E-mail: atlantique@mira.ca

The Mira Atlantic Foundation is a school for guide and assistance dogs for persons who are visually impaired or in a wheelchair. It offers mobility courses to participants with follow-up every six months. Guide dogs are given free of charge to totally blind individuals and as assistance to people in a wheelchair. To be eligible, individuals must be in their teens or older, totally blind or in a wheelchair, in good physical and mental condition, and must have a desire to be more independent. Persons in their teens must understand that the dogs are not pets but are there to assist them. The Mira Atlantic Foundation is the only foundation that gives dogs to teens.

MIRAMICHI ACCESSIBLE TRANSIT (MAT)

1773 Water Street
Miramichi, N.B. E1N 1B2

Contact: Betty Fraser
Telephone: (506) 773-9437
Fax: (506) 773-9439
E-mail: matbet@nb.aibn.com

Two accessible buses are available for persons with physical or mental disabilities (including seniors) in the Miramichi area to a 10 to 12 mile radius. Available Monday to Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. and for special outings.

MIRAMICHI PHYSICALLY DISABLED & HANDICAPPED ASSOCIATION, INC.

1773 Water Street
Miramichi, N.B. E1N 1B2

Contact: Betty Fraser
Telephone: (506) 773-9437
Fax: (506) 773-9439
E-mail: mpdha@nb.aibn.com
Website: www.mpdha.nb.ca

This Association is interested in all programs and services pertaining to persons with disabilities such as transportation, accessibility, legislation, and housing. The Association has a loan cupboard consisting of technical aids available at no charge. Office hours are from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

MONCTON ASSOCIATION FOR THE DEAF

Albert Budd, Treasurer
31 Garland Drive
Riverview, N.B. E1B 3V3

Telephone: (506) 386-8091 (TTY)
Fax: (506) 386-8091

A social club which meets once a month for leisure activities. The association advises persons with a hearing impairment of any changes that can be helpful to the deaf community. Services available in English.

MONCTON COMMUNITY RESIDENCES, INC.

357 Collishaw Street
Moncton, N.B. E1C 9R2

Telephone: (506) 858-0550
Fax: (506) 858-0271
E-mail: mcri3@nb.aibn.com

This organization provides residential services to people who have a developmental challenge. The support services range from rotating staffed group homes for people with complex and multiple needs to regular visits by a counsellor for people living independently in their own apartment.

MONCTON COUNCIL FOR INTEGRATED RECREATION (THE)

357 Collishaw Street
Moncton, N.B. E1C 9R2

Telephone: (506) 859-1826
(evenings) (506) 857-9486
Fax: (506) 858-0271

The Council operates "Club Shades of Moncton", a drop-in centre for people with developmental challenges, located at 357 Collishaw Street. It is a non-profit organization primarily concerned with social and recreational integration for people who are developmentally challenged. Services available in English and French.

MONCTON EAST YOUTH CENTRE

Pikey French, Executive Director
43 Fergus Street
Moncton, N.B. E1C 2W3

Telephone: (506) 857-0358
Fax: (506) 854-9655

Offers recreational activities to children of 2-18 years of age. Children with a physical disability, with mild or moderate mental or emotional disabilities and children with speech or a learning disability are encouraged to participate.

MONCTON EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING SERVICES INC. (METS)

Mike Farrell, Executive Director
1250 St. George Blvd.
Moncton, N.B. E1E 3S1

Telephone: (506) 858-9404
Fax: (506) 858-8090
E-mail: metsinc@nb.aibn.com

We provide activity-based day service, vocational training and community based employment supports to persons in the Greater Moncton area labelled "developmentally disabled". Services available in English and French.

MONCTON LIONS CLUB SICK CHILDREN'S FUND INC.

Ron Paschal
55 Mark Avenue
Moncton, N.B. E1C 7G8

Telephone: (506) 853-0498
Fax: (506) 859-1583
E-mail: lionssickkids@rogers.com
Website: http://lionssickkids.org

The Moncton Lions Club Sick Children's Fund Inc. is a fully volunteer charitable organization which financially helps families with seriously ill children. The financial assistance available is for travel, accommodations or meals while the child is away from home for tests, treatments or hospitalisation. In some cases financial assistance is also available for medication and/or medical equipment. Assistance is available to families in Region 1, which includes Westmorland, Albert and Kent Counties. Application for assistance is available by contacting the Fund. Eligibility for assistance is available for children up to 19 years of age. Referral from a social worker, cleric or doctor is required.

M.O.R.E. SERVICES INC.

1662 Water Street
P.O. Box 69
Miramichi, N.B. E1N 3A5
Website: www.moreservices.ca

Vocational Services:
Contact: Joan Russell
Telephone: (506) 778-6410
Fax: (506) 778-6169
E-mail: moreserv@nbnet.nb.ca

Residential Services:
Contact: Bob Daley
Telephone: (506) 778-6411
Fax: (506) 778-6657
E-mail: bobdaley@nbnet.nb.ca

Miramichi Options for Residential and Employment (M.O.R.E.) Services is a non-profit agency mandated to provide community-based supports and services to adults with intellectual disabilities.

MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS SOCIETY OF CANADA - ATLANTIC DIVISION

71 Ilsley Avenue, Unit 12
Dartmouth, Nova Scotia B3B 1L5

Telephone: (902) 468-8230
Toll-free: (800) 268-7582
Fax: (902) 468-5328
E-mail: info.atlantic@mssociety.ca
Website: www.mssociety.ca/atlantic

The mission of the MS Society of Canada is to be a leader in finding a cure for multiple sclerosis and enabling people affected by MS to enhance their quality of life. The Atlantic Division raises funds to help support MS research as well as to provide information, funding and support to those affected by MS.

Please call 1 (800) 268-7582 for information on local Chapters, Self-Help Groups and programs & services offered. Services available in English and French.

MUNICIPAL ADVISORY COMMITTEES ON DISABLED PERSONS

The Premier's Council on the Status of Disabled Persons has encouraged the various municipalities to form official local standing advisory committees to bring to the attention of municipal government opportunities to improve barrier free access and participation of citizens with disabilities in their community. These committees have also helped to promote special projects such as Disability Awareness Week to draw attention to disability issues.

At this point we can offer the following list of contacts for those municipalities who have agreed to have such a committee to date:

BALMORAL - Mayor Hébert Arseneault
Village of Balmoral
1447 des Pionniers Avenue
P. O. Box 2531
Balmoral, N.B. E8E 2W7
Telephone: (506) 826-6060
Fax: (506) 826-6037
E-mail: vilbal@nbnet.nb.ca
Website: www.balmoralnb.com

BATHURST - Sheila Rogers
BEST Group
75 Youghall Drive
Bathurst, N.B. E2A 4X5
Telephone: (506) 549-5055
Fax: (506) 547-2917
E-mail: bestgr@nbnet.nb.ca

BERESFORD - Gilberte Pître
Réseau services Chaleur Inc.
268 Boudreau Street
Beresford, N.B. E8K 2G2
Telephone: (506) 542-9406
Fax: (506) 542-1087

BLACKS HARBOUR - Mayor Terry James
Village of Blacks Harbour
65 Wallace Cove Road
Black's Harbour, N.B.
E5H 1G9
Telephone: (506) 456-4896 (w)
Fax: (506) 456-4872
E-mail: mayortjames@nb.aibn.com
Website: www.villageofblacksharbour.com

CAMPBELLTON - Manon Cloutier, P. Eng
City of Campbellton
P.O. Box 100
Campbellton, N.B. E3N 3G1
Telephone: (506) 789-2701
Fax: (506) 759-7403
E-mail: manon.cloutier@campbellton.org
Website: www.campbellton.org

DIEPPE - Nadia Damphousse
City of Dieppe
333 Acadie Avenue
Dieppe, N.B. E1A 1G9
Telephone: (506) 877-7952
Fax: (506) 877-7960
E-mail: nadia.damphousse@dieppe.ca

DORCHESTER -	Mayor Melvin J. Goodland Village of Dorchester 4984 Main Street Dorchester, N.B. E4K 2Z1	Telephone: (506) 379-3030 Fax: (506) 379-3033 E-mail: vilofdor@nb.sympatico.ca Website: www.dorchester.ca
FREDERICTON -	Patricia desChamps 193 Church Street Fredericton, N.B. E3B 4E1	Telephone: (506) 454-6019 E-mail: himmys@nbnet.nb.ca
GRAND FALLS -	Dexter Employment Orientation Centre 475 Terrace Street Grand Falls, N.B. E3Z 1B3	Telephone: (506) 475-4065 Fax: (506) 473-5998 E-mail: coed75@hotmail.com
HARTLAND -	Kathy Hawkes-Trecartin 5 Monty Street Hartland, N.B. E7P 1J3	Telephone: (506) 375-6786 Fax: (506) 375-6303 E-mail: johnkath@nbnet.nb.ca
MILLVILLE -	Mayor Beverly H. Forbes Village of Millville 39 Howland Ridge Road Millville, N.B. E6E 1Y3	Telephone: (506) 463-2719 Fax: (506) 463-8262 E-mail: villageofmillville@nb.aibn.com
MIRAMICHI -	James Lamkey City of Miramichi 141 Henry Street Miramichi, N.B. E1V 2N5	Telephone: (506) 623-2200 Fax: (506) 623-2461 E-mail: jim.lamkey@miramichi.org Website: www.miramichi.org
MONCTON -	Phyllis Brisee MacDonald Independent Living Centre 36 High Street Moncton, N.B. E1C 9C3	Telephone: (506) 857-4086 ext.22 Fax: (506) 855-8045 E-mail: phyllis.brisee@vp-vr.ca
NEW MARYLAND -	Mayor Frank C. Dunn Village of New Maryland 584 New Maryland Highway New Maryland, N.B. E3C 1K1	Telephone: (506) 451-8508 Fax: (506) 450-1605 E-mail: office@vonm.ca Website: www.vonm.ca
OROMOCTO -	Mayor Fay Tidd Town of Oromocto 4 Doyle Drive Oromocto, N.B. E2V 2V3	Telephone: (506) 357-4400 Fax: (506) 357-2266 E-mail: gengov@oromocto.ca Website: www.oromocto.ca

PERTH-ANDOVER -
Mayor Karen S. Titus
Village of Perth-Andover
1131 West Riverside Drive
Perth-Andover, N.B. E7H 5G5
Telephone: (506) 273-4959
Fax: (506) 273-4947
E-mail: pavill@nbnet.nb.ca
Website: www.perth-andover.com

QUISPAMSIS -
Albert Comeau, Chairperson
K.V. Committee for Disabled Persons
5 Gwen Avenue
Quispamsis, N.B. E2G 1S1
E-mail: kvdisabled@rogers.com
Website: www.kvdisabled.piczo.com

Beth Rioux, Secretary
20 Monaco Drive
Rothesay, N.B. E2E 2P3
Telephone: (506) 847-7609
E-mail: roblek@rogers.com

RIVERVIEW -
Charles Broderick, Councillor
Town of Riverview
30 Honour House Court
Riverview, N.B. E1B 3Y9
Telephone: (506) 386-6852
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SACKVILLE -
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Special Populations
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110 Main Street
Sackville, N.B. E4L 1G6
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E-mail: recprograms@sackville.com
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SAINT JOHN -
Barry Freeze
Saint John Ability Advisory Cttee
P. O. Box 1971
Saint John, N.B. E2L 4L1
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Fax: (506) 658-2902
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SAINT-FRANÇOIS - -DE-MADAWASKA
Jean Guy Michaud
L'Atelier des Copains Coop Ltée
1710 Route 205 East
Saint-François-de-Madawaska,
N.B. E7A 1P8
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: (506) 992-0102
Fax: (506) 992-1559
E-mail: atco@nb.aibn.com
Website: www.atco-plco.ca

ST. STEPHEN - Ralph Williams, Councillor
Town of St. Stephen
34 Milltown Boulevard
St. Stephen, N.B. E3L 1G3
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Telephone: (506) 466-7700
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E-mail: resmondw@hotmail.com
Website: www.town.ststephen.nb.ca

SHEDIAC - Paul Boudreau
Town of Shediac
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Shediac, N.B. E4P 2E3
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WOODSTOCK - Tom Sproull
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MUSCULAR DYSTROPHY CANADA

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56 Avonlea Court, Suite 203
Fredericton, N.B. E3C 1N8
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Toll Free: (888) 647-6322
Fax: (506) 458-2205
E-mail: judy.spink@muscle.ca
Website: www.muscle.ca

MDC is working to combat over 100 neuromuscular disorders. We're committed to funding leading research to find the causes, treatments, prevention, and cure for each of the disorders. But until we do find a cure, we provide information, vital services and hope to tens of thousands of Canadians living with neuromuscular disorders.

Registration forms and information may be obtained by contacting the office. Available to do community visits and make presentations on behalf of Muscular Dystrophy Canada.

The New Brunswick chapters of Muscular Dystrophy Canada are the following:

CENTRAL NB - Richard Steeves, President
292 Upper Durham Road
Durham Bridge, N.B. E6C 1C9
Telephone: (506) 450-2542
E-mail: rsteves@nbnet.nb.ca

FUNDY CHAPTER - John Olsen, President
Jeff Sparks, Vice President
P.O. Box 22045
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Telephone: (506) 642-9013
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SOUTH EASTERN - Barb Pelletier, President
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Moncton, N.B. E1A 7Y8
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E-mail: barbandgary@rogers.com

NORTHERN NB - Lorna Smith
70 Champlain Street
Beresford, N.B. E8K 1R9
Telephone: (506) 542-9032
E-mail: galms@rogers.com

NATIONAL ME/FM ACTION NETWORK

Dr. Philipa Corning, Vice-President
118 Claremont Drive
Fredericton, N.B. E3A 1E8

Telephone: (506) 472-2844
E-mail: pcorning@nb.sympatico.ca
Website: www.mefmaction.net

We have information brochures on Chronic Fatigue Syndrome and Fibromyalgia Syndrome. There is a contact person available in New Brunswick. Services available in English.

NB/PEI ELKS ROYAL PURPLE DEAF CAMP

Ray Montgomery, Chairman
21 Carr Road
Haneytown, N.B. E2V 4T2

Telephone: (506) 357-9877
TTY: (506) 357-9877
E-mail: monty@nb.sympatico.ca
Website: www.nbpeielks.ca

During the first week of August, the NB/PEI Elks & Royal Purple organize and operate a week long summer camp for the Deaf, Hard of Hearing and Deafened children of the Atlantic Provinces.

The camp is located near Harvey, NB on Magaguadavic Lake. The camp is owned by the Fredericton Capital Y's Men and can accommodate 100 campers and staff. Services available in English.

N.B. ADVISORY COUNCIL ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN

Ginette Petitpas-Taylor, Chairperson
Rosella Melanson, Executive Director
236 King Street
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 1E2

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Toll-free: (800) 332-3087
Fax: (506) 444-4318
E- mail: acswcccf@gnb.ca
Website: www.acswcccf.nb.ca

The Council is a body for consultation and study created to advise the Minister and bring before the public matters relating to the status of women. The Council receives information from individuals and groups, undertakes research on matters relevant to the status of women, recommends programs, proposes legislation and practices, and publishes reports and recommendations. Services available in English and French.

N.B. ADVISORY COUNCIL ON YOUTH

Frederick Square
130 - 77 Westmorland Street
Fredericton, NB E3B 6Z3

Mailing Address:
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Fredericton, N.B. E3B 5H1

Telephone: (506) 453-3271
Toll-free: (888) 830-5588
Fax: (506) 444-4413
E-mail: nbacy-ccjnb@gnb.ca
Website: www.youthinfo.ca

The New Brunswick Advisory Council on Youth is the provincial body representative of youth, which voices the interests, needs, concerns and perspectives of young people aged 15-24, and presents recommendations to government and the public. This is achieved by acting as an advisory body, through resource coordination and by research and consultation. Through its action, the New Brunswick Advisory Council on Youth strives to be a catalyst for increasing youth involvement in society.

N.B. ASSOCIATION FOR COMMUNITY LIVING (NBACL)

Krista Carr, Executive Director
440 Wilsey Road, Suite 209
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 7G5

Telephone: (506) 453-4400
Fax: (506) 453-4422
Toll-free: (866) NBACL-4U
[622-2548]
E-mail: nbacl@nbnet.nb.ca
Website: www.nbacl.nb.ca

The New Brunswick Association for Community Living (NBACL) is a provincial voluntary, non-profit organization with 20 local associations throughout the province. NBACL is an advocacy and family support organization that works to ensure that people with intellectual disabilities are enabled to live, learn, work and play alongside people with no disability as valued and contributing members of our communities. Information and training are provided to families and organizations relating to: childcare, inclusive education, employment, affordable housing, justice, transition from school to work, recreation, leisure and volunteerism and more.
The following are the local associations of NBACL with Staffed Offices:

FREDERICTON - Fredericton Association for Community Living
1079 York Street
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 3S4

Contact: Diane Latouche
Telephone: (506) 458-2198
Fax: (506) 458-9821
E-mail: facl@nb.aibn.com

GRAND FALLS - Grand Falls Association
for Community Living
475 Terrace Street
Grand Falls, N.B. E3Z 1B3

Contact: Marie Mae Beaulieu
Telephone: (506) 475-4060
Fax: (506) 473-5998

MIRAMICHI - Miramichi Association
For Community Living, Inc.
291 Pleasant Street
P.O. Box 382
Miramichi, N.B. E1V 3M5

Contact: Anne Dewolfe
Telephone: (506) 624-9043
E-mail: macl@nb.aibn.com

MONCTON - Greater Moncton Association
for Community Living, Inc.
P. O. Box 1715
43 Botsford Street
Moncton, N.B. E1C 9X5

Contact: Connie Melanson-Savoie
Telephone: (506) 857-8899
Fax: (506) 858-7883
E-mail: gmacl@nb.aibn.com

SAINT JOHN - Saint John Association
for Community Living
Hilyard Place, Building C
Suite C 203, Box 803
Saint John, N.B. E2L 3V6

Contact: Rick Seely
Telephone: (506) 652-1544
Fax: (506) 636-8888
E-mail: n6employ@nb.aibn.com
Website: sjcommunityliving.nb.ca

N.B. ASSOCIATION FOR SUPPORTED SERVICES AND EMPLOYMENT (N.B.A.S.S.E.)

Joan Russell, President

Telephone: (506) 778-6410
Fax: (506) 778-6169
E-mail: moreserv@nbnet.nb.ca

N.B.A.S.S.E. is an association of approximately 35 member agencies providing activity-based day services and employment supports to persons with intellectual disabilities. All member agencies provide these services following the "ADAPT" standards outlined by the Provincial department of Family and Community Services.

ALBERT - Albert Vocational Training Centre
5295 Route 114
Hopewell Hill, N.B. E4H 3M7

Contact: Paul Collins
Telephone: (506) 882-2604
Fax: (506) 882-2884
E-mail: avtc@nbnet.nb.ca

ATHOLVILLE - CHUMS & CIE
27 Comeau Avenue
Atholville, N.B. E3N 4G1
Contact: Francis Levesque
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Fax: (506) 759-6678
E-mail: chum@nb.aibn.com

BAKER BROOK - Atelier de l'Amitié
5 - 3725 Principale Street
Baker Brook, N.B. E7A 2A5
Contact: Yvette Boutot
Telephone: (506) 258-3542
Fax: (506) 258-3942
E-mail: backrcac@nbnet.nb.ca

BATHURST - Bathurst Employment Services and Training Group Inc.
P. O. Box 73
75 Youghall Drive
Bathurst, N.B. E2A 3Z1
Contact: Sheila Rogers
Telephone: (506) 549-5055
Fax: (506) 547-2917
E-mail: bestgr@nbnet.nb.ca

BOUCTOUCHE - Centre d'activités de Kent
68 de la Rivière Avenue
Bouctouche, N.B. E4S 3A7
Contact: Robin Cantin
Telephone: (506) 743-7377
Fax: (506) 743-7380
E-mail: lephare@nb.aibn.com

CAMPBELLTON - Productions Restigouche
78 Victoria Street
P. O. Box 827
Campbellton, N.B. E3N 2G3
Contact: Alida Ward
Telephone: (506) 753-3415
Fax: (506) 789-9145

CAP-PELÉ - Le Centre de développement de habilités du sud-est inc.
2648 Acadie Rd., Unit 2
Cap-Pelé, N.B. E4N 1E4
Contact: Alfreda Cormier
Telephone: (506) 577-4809
: (506) 577-1119
Fax: (506) 577-8982

CARAQUET - Atelier la Rencontre
204 St. Pierre Boulevard East
Caraquet, N.B. E1W 1B1
Contact: Aldo Chiasson
Telephone: (506) 727-3772
Fax: (506) 727-9800

DALHOUSIE - Dalhousie Workshop for the Handicapped
446 Victoria Street
Dalhousie, N.B. E8C 2S8
Contact: Nancy Parker /
: Sherry Stewart
Telephone: (506) 684-2186

EDMUNDSTON - Centre d'Accueil la Montée
100 Queen Street
Edmundston, N.B. E3V 1A1
Contact: Chantal Gauvin
Telephone: (506) 735-4003
Fax: (506) 739-5017
E-mail: montee@nb.aibn.com

FREDERICTON - Jobs Unlimited
1079 York Street
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 3S4
Contact: Abdel Fattah Belhadjsalah,
Executive Director
Telephone: (506) 458-9380
Fax: (506) 458-9821
E-mail: abdel@jobsunlimited.nb.ca
Website: www.jobs-unlimited.org

GRAND FALLS - Dexter Employment
Orientation Centre
475 Terrace Street
Grand Falls, N.B. E3Z 1B3
Contact: Jason Marquis
Telephone: (506) 475-4060
Fax: (506) 473-5998
E-mail: coed75@hotmail.com

LAMÈQUE - Centre d'Activités La Ruche
74 de la Baie Street
Lamèque, N.B. E8T 1A1
Contact: Céline Savoie
Telephone: (506) 344-7793
Fax: (506) 344-7793

MCADAM - Lakeland Industries Sheltered
Workshop Inc.
2270 Route 4, Unit 1
McAdam, N.B. E6J 1H2
Contact: Terry Kneabone
Telephone: (506) 784-2251
Fax: (506) 784-2265

MEMRAMCOOK - Atelier l'Artisan Workshop
280 Old Shediac Road
Memramcook, N.B. E4K 1W3
Contact: Anita LeBlanc
Telephone: (506) 758-2751
Fax: (506) 758-3237

MINTO - Minlak Training Program Inc.
80 Logue Road
Minto, N.B. E4B 3X5
Contact: Sharon Barton
Telephone: (506) 327-6817
Fax: (506) 327-4385
E-mail: minlak@nb.aibn.com

MIRAMICHI - M.O.R.E. Services Inc.
1662 Water Street
P. O. Box 69
Miramichi, N.B. E1N 3A5
Website:
www.moreservices.ca

Vocational Services
Contact: Joan Russell
Telephone: (506) 778-6410
Fax: (506) 778-6169
E-mail: moreserv@nbnet.nb.ca

MONCTON - E.R.G.O.N.
150 Weldon Street
Moncton, N.B. E1C 5W4
Contact: Camille Deschênes
Telephone: (506) 857-0014
Fax: (506) 857-8332

MONCTON - Moncton Employment and
Training Services Inc. (METS)
1250 St. George Blvd.
Moncton, N.B. E1E 3S1
Contact: Mike Jeffries
Telephone: (506) 858-9404
Fax: (506) 858-8090
E-mail: mjeffries@nb.aibn.com

NEGUAC - Atelier Beausoleil
978 Route 445
Fair Isle, N.B. E9G 2V1
Contact: Lola Rousselle
Telephone: (506) 776-8448
Fax: (506) 776-5687
E-mail: beausoleil@nb.aibn.com

OROMOCTO - Oromocto Training and
Employment Centre
285 Restigouche Road
Oromocto, N.B. E2V 2H2
Contact: Lorie Mitchell
Telephone: (506) 357-3397
Fax: (506) 357-6450
E-mail: lmotec@nb.aibn.com

PERTH-ANDOVER - Carleton-Victoria Community
Vocational Board Inc.
344 East Riverside Drive
Perth-Andover, N.B. E7H 1Y5
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Fax: (506) 273-9299
E-mail: abunker@nbnet.nb.ca

PETIT-ROCHER - Atelier Edouard-Roy
323 Route 134
Petit-Rocher North, N.B. E8J 2E2
Contact: Denis Lejeune
Telephone: (506) 783-4978
Fax: (506) 783-7066

ROTHESAY - Vocational Training Centre
97 James Renforth Drive
Rothesay, N.B. E2H 1K7
Contact: Gail Gallant
Telephone: (506) 847-4759
Fax: (506) 847-9420

ROGERSVILLE - La Fleur de l'Espérance Inc.
41 Moise Street
Rogersville, N.B. E4Y 1T7
Contact: Sonia Roy
Telephone: (506) 775-6578
Fax: (506) 775-2090
E-mail: lafleur@nb.aibn.com

SAINT-ANDRÉ - Centre Horizon Centre
506 de L'Église Street
Saint-André, N.B. E3Y 2Y6
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E-mail: centrehorizon@nb.aibn.com

SAINT-JACQUES - Coop de l'Atelier les Hirondelles
26A Parc Street
Saint-Jacques, N.B. E7B 1H3
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Fax: (506) 739-7125
E-mail: leshirondelles@nb.aibn.com

SAINT JOHN - Key Industries
26 Kiwanis Court
Saint John, N.B. E2K 4L2
Contact: Christine Evans
Telephone: (506) 634-6888
Toll-free: (800) 561-9343
Fax: (506) 632-1073
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Website: www.keyindustries.ca

SAINT JOHN - United Catena Training Centre
1 Baxter Road
P. O. Box 2667
Saint John, N.B. E2L 4Z1
Contact: Debbi Green
Telephone: (506) 696-5672
Fax: (506) 696-2233
E-mail: catena@nbnet.nb.ca

ST-LÉONARD - Centre de formation et de soutien à l'emploi St-Léonard
76 de l'École Street, Unit A
St-Léonard, N.B. E7E 4G1
Contact: Debra Soucy
Telephone: (506) 423-7216
Fax: (506) 423-1230
E-mail: cfse@nb.aibn.com

SAINT-QUENTIN - Coop le Tourbillon Ltée
8 Patrick Jean Street
Saint-Quentin, N.B. E8A 1X9
Contact: Roland Bernier
Telephone: (506) 235-2016
Fax: (506) 235-8991

ST. STEPHEN - St. Croix Vocational Centre, Inc.
129 Union Street
St. Stephen, N.B. E3L 1V9
Contact: Ann Haley
Telephone: (506) 466-4977
Fax: (506) 466-6626

SUSSEX - Crosswinds Occupational Activity Centre
100 Leonard Drive
Sussex, N.B. E4E 2R2
Contact: Wanda Steeves & Shelley Bradley
Telephone: (506) 432-7500
Fax: (506) 432-7510
E-mail: crosswin@nbnet.nb.ca

WOODSTOCK - Community Industries Employm't Vocational Assoc.
113 Moffatt Street
Woodstock, N.B. E7M 2H5
Contact: Paul Martin
Telephone: (506) 325-4909
Fax: (506) 325-4642
E-mail: cieva@nb.aibn.com
Website: www.atyp.com/cieva

N.B. ASSOCIATION OF OCCUPATIONAL THERAPISTS

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Fax: (506) 455-8846
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This incorporated professional association registers occupational therapists to practice in New Brunswick. It has the dual role of protecting the public and the occupational therapists. It ensures that proper qualifications and standards be met. In order to use the designation "Occupational Therapist" or "O.T.", all practicing occupational therapists must register with the association. It may provide names of registered occupational therapists, handle complaints and provide information regarding the delivery of occupational therapy services within New Brunswick.

N.B. ASSOCIATION OF RESIDENTIAL AGENCIES INC.

Robert Daley, President
c/o M.O.R.E. Services Inc.
1662 Water Street
P.O. Box 69
Miramichi, N.B. E1N 3A5

Telephone: (506) 778-6411
Fax: (506) 778-6657
E-mail: bobdaley@nbnet.nb.ca

The N.B. Association of Residential Agencies Inc. is a non-profit, non-partisan and non-sectarian organization. It is dedicated to establishing high quality and uniform service to the persons it serves in New Brunswick. The Association is open to all not-for-profit residential agencies whose principal mandate is to serve people who have an intellectual disability.

N.B. ASSOCIATION OF RESPIRATORY THERAPISTS INC. (THE)

Kathy Kowalski, President
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Station B
Fredericton, N.B. E3A 5J8

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Website: www.nbart.net

The New Brunswick Association of Respiratory Therapists is a provincial organization representing New Brunswick's respiratory therapists. The NBART represents the profession on medical, government, education and advisory bodies; maintains a provincial professional standard of practice; works with health organizations and client support groups that have concerns around respiratory health of any nature.

N.B. ASSOCIATION OF SOCIAL WORKERS

Debra Bourque, Executive Director
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Fredericton, N.B. E3B 5G2

Telephone: (506) 459-5595
Fax: (506) 457-1421
E-mail: nbasw@nbasw-atsnb.ca
Website: www.nbasw-atsnb.ca

The New Brunswick Association of Social Workers ensure quality professional social work services to the population of New Brunswick. Services available in English and French.

The Association accomplishes its mission by:

- Ensuring all persons practicing social work and/or using the title social worker are registered;
- Establishing and enforcing standards of qualification, knowledge, skill and efficiency of practice;
- Investigating complaints against its members;
- Promoting public awareness of the role of social work; and
- Assisting members in the pursuit of social justice and social change.

N.B. ASSOCIATION OF SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGISTS AND AUDIOLOGISTS

Marie-Andrée Maher, President
147 Ellerdale Avenue
Moncton, N.B. E1A 3M8

Telephone: (506) 858-1788
Consumer Free Hotline: (877) 751-5511
Fax: (506) 854-0343
E-mail: nbaslpa@nb.aibn.com

This incorporated association is the registering body for speech-language pathologists and audiologists in the province. All practicing speech-language pathologists and audiologists in New Brunswick must be registered with this association. It insures that appropriate qualifications and professional standards have been attained. Speech-language pathologists and audiologists in New Brunswick are employed by both public and private sectors, as well as private practice. Anyone requiring information or having concerns with regards to the practice of either of these two professions may contact the association.

N.B. HOME SUPPORT ASSOCIATION INC.

Bev Weeks, President
P.O. Box 23060
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 7B3
Telephone: (506) 366-3017
Fax: (506) 466-5012

Karen Bower, Executive Assistant
Telephone: (506) 454-5290

The Association acts as a consultant to agencies, individuals, provincial associations and governments at all levels on issues related to in-home support services.

N.B. HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION

Website: www.gnb.ca/hrc-cdp

The Commission administers the ***Human Rights Act*** of New Brunswick, which is a provincial law that prohibits discrimination (inequality) based on age, race, colour, national origin, place of origin, ancestry, religion, physical and mental disability, sex, sexual orientation or marital status. Since February 1, 2005, discrimination is also prohibited on the basis of social condition and political belief or activity. The Act applies to all provincially regulated employment, housing and public services, whether in the private or public sectors.

A victim of discrimination may file a complaint with the Commission. The Commission investigates and attempts to conciliate such complaints. It also works to reduce discrimination by improving social systems and public attitudes. The Commission's staff are available to deliver presentations to organizations, schools and businesses. Services available in English and French.

For further information, contact:

CAMPBELLTON - 6 Arran Street (downstairs)
Campbellton, N.B. E3N 1K4
Telephone: (888) 471-2233
Fax: (506) 789-2267

FREDERICTON - 751 Brunswick Street
P.O. Box 6000
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 5H1
Telephone: (888) 471-2233
or: (506) 453-2301
TTY: (506) 453-2911
Fax: (506) 453-2653
E-mail: hrc.cdp@gnb.ca

MONCTON - 200 Champlain Street, Suite 320
Dieppe, N.B.
Telephone: (888) 471-2233
Fax: (506) 869-6608

Mailing Address:
P. O. Box 5001
Moncton, N.B. E1C 8R3

SAINT JOHN - 8 Castle Street, 2nd Floor
P. O. Box 5001
Saint John, N.B. E2L 4Y9
Telephone: (888) 471-2233
Fax: (506) 658-3075

N.B. LUNG ASSOCIATION

65 Brunswick Street
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 1G5

Telephone: (506) 455-8961
Toll-free: (800) 565-LUNG [5864]
Fax: (506) 462-0939
E-mail: nblung@nbnet.nb.ca
Website: www.nb.lung.ca

The Association has several programs that have and will make a difference to all New Brunswickers and hopefully all Canadians. Our asthma camp for Anglophone and Francophone children, ages 7-11, has provided valuable data and information which has made a noticeable positive impact on the participating children and families.

Children who attend the camps are taught skills that will assist them to better manage and control their asthma. Most importantly, it allows the children an opportunity to have fun, and establish healthy relationships with their peers and health professionals.

The Association offers public education on an ongoing basis. The public is encouraged to call the Association and receive on-line education and free resource tools as a means to increase their understanding and knowledge about proper care and management of their or their child's asthma. The Association delivers asthma education to schools for both administration and students, seminars on respiratory diseases, and conferences for health professionals. Respiratory equipment for patients is available on a loan basis.

N.B. MENTAL HEALTH CONSUMER NETWORK INC.

Manon Landry Pitre, Network Coordinator
302-A Victoria Street
Edmundston, N.B. E3V 2H9

Telephone: (506) 735-4442
Fax: (506) 736-6009
E-mail: network@nb.aibn.com
Website: www.nbmhcn.com

The NB Consumer Network is a provincial association that offers the following services: promote taking charge, public awareness, promote exchanges between recipients, create a coalition of recipients, contribute to the creation of help groups and general information network.

N.B PEOPLE FIRST

Cathy O'Donnell
40 Clarendon Street
Saint John, N.B. E2K 1A4

Telephone: (506) 635-4143
Fax: (506) 636-8888

This is a non-profit, self-advocacy group for adults who are labelled intellectually disabled. Activities include sharing information, workshops and attending conferences. Chapters exist in Moncton, Miramichi, St. George, Rogersville, Saint John, St. Stephen, Sussex, Woodstock, Grand Falls and Shediac.

N.B. PHYSIOTHERAPY ASSOCIATION (THE)

Cathy Simon, President
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Telephone: (506) 652-4711
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(506) 738-4306 (w)
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We invite any questions or issues regarding physiotherapy.

N.B. SENIOR CITIZENS' FEDERATION INC.

36 Albert Street
Moncton, N.B. E1C 1A9

Telephone: (506) 857-8242
Toll-free: (800) 453-4333
Fax: (506) 857-0315
E-mail: horizons@nbnet.nb.ca
Website: www.nbscf.ca

The Federation works to improve the quality of life of all senior citizens in the province, including senior citizens with disabilities. It provides information on, actively participates in, and monitors all matters pertaining to senior citizens in the province. It is regrouped into 13 geographical zones throughout the province. The Federation consists of some 200 Golden Age Clubs and other groups with a membership of approximately 20,000. Services available in English and French.

N.B. WHEELCHAIR SPORTS ASSOCIATION

Karen Ferguson, President
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Saint John, N.B. E2M 1P3
Telephone: (506) 674-1205
E-mail: ferka@reg2.health.nb.ca

The New Brunswick Wheelchair Sports Association is a non-profit, volunteer organization dedicated to the promotion and development of wheelchair sports and activities both locally and provincially. In addition, the Association also provides opportunities for persons with physical disabilities to compete in sports events at national and international levels. The New Brunswick Wheelchair Sports Association is comprised of a number of regional clubs located throughout the province:

BATHURST - Clarence Bastarache
5 Champlain Boulevard
Bathurst, N.B.
E2A 4Y8
Telephone: (506) 548-8644 (h)
(506) 547-2144 (w)
Fax: (506) 548-2838

FREDERICTON - Lynn Allan Richard
899 Charters Settlement Road
Charters Settlement, N.B. E3C 1V9
Telephone: (506) 450-1984
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MIRAMICHI - Jacques Doucet
215 Sweeney Lane
Miramichi, N.B. E1V 3A5
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Fax: (506) 623-5990
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MONCTON - Peter Cameron
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Moncton, N.B. E1C 4J4
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(506) 382-8959 (h)

SAINT JOHN - Brian Lawrence
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Saint John, N.B. E2J 3B1
Telephone: (506) 652-9544
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BASKETBALL - REP Mike Doucet
10 St. James Street
Saint John, N.B. E2L 1T9
Telephone: (506) 642-2410
E-mail: mike33@nbnet.nb.ca

RUGBY REP - Hal Merrill
575 Charters Settlement Road
Charters Settlement, N.B. E3C 1T8
E-mail: hal.merrill@gnb.ca

NEIL SQUIRE SOCIETY

440 Wilsey Road, Suite 104
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 7G5

Telephone: (506) 450-7999
Fax: (506) 453-9681
E-mail: nb.info@neilsquire.ca
Website: www.neilsquire.ca

The Neil Squire Society is a Canadian non-profit organization whose purpose is to create opportunities for independence for individuals who have significant/severe physical disabilities. Through direct interaction with these individuals we research, develop and deliver appropriate innovative services and technology to meet their needs.

We offer computer access and assistive technology assessments, work station assessments, our Employ-Ability (E-A) program which assists adults with significant/severe physical disabilities to acquire the necessary skills and awareness to establish themselves in employment positions, and "Educational Options of Community Adult Learning Program (CALP)" for individuals who have low literacy skills in addition to physical disabilities.

Services are available from the provincial office in Fredericton, as well as the local office in Moncton located at:

236 St. George Street, Suite 305
Moncton, N.B. E1C 1W1

Telephone: (506) 856-9101
Fax: (506) 854-7509

NEPISIGUIT FAMILY SERVICES INC.

235 Main Street
Bathurst, N.B. E2A 1A9

Telephone: (506) 546-3305
Fax: (506) 548-4170
E-mail: famille@nbnet.nb.ca

They offer counseling services, educational programs and assistance programs to employees and family. Services are available to all interested persons.

NEPISIGUIT RESIDENTIAL SERVICES INC.

Luc DeRoche, Executive Director
702 Principale Street, Suite 312
Petit-Rocher, N.B. E8J 1V1

Telephone: (506) 542-2404
Fax: (506) 542-2406
E-mail: srninc@nb.sympatico.ca

Their main goal is to provide quality residential services to all persons with disabilities throughout the Nepisiguit region. They provide a secure setting that encourages social, emotional, cognitive and recreational development in the individuals. The main goal of the program is to help clients achieve their full potential. All services are delivered by competent staff persons; their main role being to accompany individuals during their stay.

Anyone wishing information on admission procedures can contact the office of the Department of Family & Community Services.

NEW DIRECTION INC.

R. Gayle Capson, Executive Director
46 Peters Street
P. O. Box 549
Saint John, N.B. E2L 3Z8

Telephone: (506) 643-6207
Fax: (506) 643-6209
E-mail: newdir@nb.aibn.com

New Direction Inc. is a non-profit residential agency incorporated in 1979. The agency provides housing and in-home support for adults coping with/or recovering from a mental illness. Support is provided on an individualized basis using a holistic approach. New Direction Inc. also offers "Trusteeship Services" for those individuals living in community on small fixed incomes. Services available in English.

OPAL COMMUNITY RESIDENCES

Patricia McCaig, Administrator
167 McGregor Brook Road
Roachville, N.B. E4G 2G4

Telephone: (506) 432-6386
Fax: (506) 433-6630

Opal Incorporated provides residential services to adults with a developmental disability in the Sussex area of the province. Staff assist, provide and train residents in various domestic and community life skills, endeavouring to assist individuals to a greater level of independence. Services available in English.

OPAL FAMILY SERVICES

944 Prospect Street
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 9M6

Telephone: (506) 457-9520
Fax: (506) 454-3660
E-mail: opal@nb.aibn.com

OPAL Family Services derives its name from the opal gem - the gem of hope. Since 1984, OPAL has been offering hope and supportive services to families in the Fredericton region which include a child or an adult dependant with an intellectual disability. As the parents struggle daily to meet the unusual needs of their children, we help by providing relief care and support to the parents, while at the same time, supportive care, friendship and recreational opportunities for the child or the adult dependant.

OROMOCTO COMMUNITY RESIDENCES INC.

Lorri deJong, Executive Director
932 Waasis Road
Oromocto, N.B. E2V 2P2

Telephone: (506) 357-5997
Fax: (506) 357-7019
E-mail: ocri@nb.aibn.com

The Oromocto Community Residences Inc. operates two group homes in Oromocto for intellectually challenged adults. Services available in English.

OSTEOPOROSIS SOCIETY OF CANADA – N.B. CHAPTER

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Cambridge Narrows, N.B. E4C 1P1

Telephone: (506) 459-4901
Fax: (506) 488-1995
Email: docndeb@nb.sympatico.ca

We offer bi-monthly information sessions, an exercise group, resources relating to osteoporosis, and videos. We offer information sessions throughout the year, resources relating to osteoporosis and videos. We have staff/volunteers available to visit schools and businesses, to conduct workshops and do presentations.

PARKINSON SOCIETY CANADA

Maritime Regional Office:
830-5991 Spring Garden Road
Halifax, NS B3H 1Y6

Telephone: (902) 422-3656
Toll-Free: (800) 663-2468
Fax: (902) 422-3797
E-mail: info@parkinsonmaritimes.ca
Website: www.parkinsonmaritimes.ca

National Office:
4211 Yonge Street, Suite 316
Toronto, ON M2P 2A9

Telephone: (416) 227-9700
Toll-free: (800) 565-3000
Fax: (416) 227-9600
E-mail: general.info@parkinson.ca
Website: www.parkinson.ca

This non-profit organization is dedicated to the support of research into the cause and cure of Parkinson's. The Society's purpose is to provide a wealth of information to people living with Parkinson's and their families by means of a quarterly magazine *Parkinson Post,* the *Downeast Parkinson* newsletter, pamphlets, conferences, symposia, speaking bureau and encouragement. Chapters are located in Moncton, Saint John, Fredericton and Grand Lake and a Support Group is in St. Stephen. Local chapters provide support groups for People with Parkinson's and caregivers, exercise programs, develop awareness in their communities and raise funds.

PAVILLON ST-JÉRÔME

Marie-Reine Hébert, Director
150 - 17th Street
Shippagan, N.B. E8S 1G4

Telephone: (506) 336-8609
Fax: (506) 336-8652

The Pavillon St-Jérôme residential service is a non-profit organization serving adults with a mental disability of the Acadian Peninsula area. The residents of the community residence receive necessary services to become more independent and better integrated in the community. Services available in English and French.

PBC (PRIMARY BILIARY CIRRHOSIS) SATELLITE SUPPORT GROUP

c/o Theresa Quinlan,
422 Young Street
Saint John, N.B. E2M 2V2

Telephone: (506) 672-2537

A PBC satellite support group for N. B. offers information, direction, ongoing support and education to patients and their families affected by primary biliary cirrhosis. This group lives relatively close to each other and wants to share, close to home, emotional, social and practical support with others affected by PBC.

Members are able to obtain more information about PBC, its effect on lifestyle and coping strategies and to keep abreast of new treatments, medication and research. A newsletter is published bi-monthly and they are affiliated with the Canadian Liver Foundation.

PHARE DES SERVICES COMMUNAUTAIRES INC. (LE)

Robert Cantin, General Director
68 de la Rivière Avenue
Bouctouche, N.B. E4S 3A7

Telephone: (506) 743-7377
Fax: (506) 743-7380
E-mail: lephare@nb.aibn.com

Le Phare des Services Communautaires Inc. is a non-profit organization that provides services to the Kent County population. Its **mission** is to ensure social and community services to people with special needs (children, adults, seniors) allowing them to live in dignity, to grow as human beings and to participate in the life of their community. A society where individuals are respected and valued for everything that defines them and where their well-being can benefit from essential services is Le Phare's new **vision.**
The services offered are presently separated into five different programs:

The Residential Program for all persons with special needs (adults) emphasizes on family life, community integration and to assure one's growth and development according to his or her potential.

The Residential Program (Myosotis) is destined for seniors suffering from Alzheimer's Disease, who can no longer stay at their residence.

The Home Support Program coordinates the different requests for a home support for people with special needs, with mental health problems, in rehabilitation or who are losing their autonomy. The program also offers a relief for ageing parents by taking care of their children with special needs.

The Early Intervention Program (ages 0 – 5 years old) provides at home services to parents of preschool children who are faced with special needs, learning difficulties, slow development or who are at risk due to certain environmental factors, who need help and/or information concerning the development of their child and/or their role as parent.

An **Activity Centre** (sense of belonging and learning) is now available to offer projects aimed at personal development, whether learning, social or working activities, incorporating a philosophy of community inclusion.

PREMIER'S COUNCIL ON THE STATUS OF DISABLED PERSONS

440 King Street, Suite 648
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 5H8

Telephone: (506) 444-3000
Toll-free: (800) 442-4412 (voice/TTY)
Fax: (506) 444-3001
E-mail: pcsdp@gnb.ca
Website: www.gnb.ca/0048

This Council was created by legislation to advise the provincial government on matters relating to the status of persons with disabilities. It reports directly to the Premier of New Brunswick but has access to all ministers or government departments. The Council's definition of persons with disabilities is broad enough to cover all types of disabilities and allows it to look at all aspects of problems involving persons with disabilities.

The Council offers information and assistance to individuals or groups on any topic related to persons with disabilities and it can act as an intervener in unusual individual problems.

The Council receives briefs and suggestions from individuals and groups, and undertakes research on matters relating to persons with disabilities. It recommends programs and proposes legislation, policies and practices to improve the status of persons with disabilities. The Council maintains a library of information on topics likely to be of interest to persons with disabilities. It distributes a newsletter and this directory of services in English and French. Council information is available in alternate formats.

PRENATAL DIAGNOSIS AND GENETIC CLINIC

Department of Obstetrics & Gynecology
Saint John Regional Hospital
P.O. Box 2100
Saint John, N.B. E2L 4L2

Contact: F. Sanderson, Clinical Head, Dept. of Obstetrics & Gynecology
Telephone: (506) 648-6822
Fax: (506) 652-4720

The Department offers preconception and prenatal diagnosis counseling to people with a history of genetic problems or an increased risk of having a child with a disability. Where appropriate, a full range of prenatal screening and diagnostic services are available, including genetic amniocentesis and detailed prenatal ultrasound examination. The person must be referred by a physician.

PUBLIC LEGAL EDUCATION AND INFORMATION SERVICE OF N.B.

Deborah Doherty, Executive Director
P. O. Box 6000
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 5H1

Telephone: (506) 453-5369
Fax: (506) 462-5193
E-mail: pleisnb@web.ca
Website: www.legal-info-legale.nb.ca

PLEIS-NB is a non-profit organization and a registered charity. The mandate is to develop a variety of bilingual educational products and services about the law for the public in order to promote access to the legal system. The goal is to assist the public in identifying and understanding their legal rights and responsibilities with a view to improving their ability to deal with legal matters.

RECOVERY, INC./SELF-HELP MENTAL HELP SINCE 1937

Janice Titus, Local Leader
15 Jones Road
Kingston, N.B. E5N 1L8
Telephone: (506) 832-4340

The Recovery Method is a system of many simple but practical coping techniques for controlling temperamental behavior and changing attitudes towards nervous symptoms and fears. It can be used on its own or in conjunction with professional help. It reinforces the professionals' objectives. The method is shared in weekly meetings. Must be over 18 to attend. No charge – free will offering only. Services available in English.

There are three active leaders in New Brunswick:

FREDERICTON - Terri MacLean
36 Lewis Drive
Islandview, N.B. E3E 1A1
Telephone: (506) 457-1851

MONCTON - Stephen Young
78 Humphrey Street
Moncton, N.B. E1C 6P1
Telephone: (506) 847-0026

SAINT JOHN - Janice Titus
15 Jones Road
Kingston, N.B. E5N 1L8
Telephone: (506) 832-4340

RECREAPLEX INC.

122 Inch Arran Avenue, Unit 1
Dalhousie, N.B. E8C 1Y6
Telephone: (506) 684-7353
Fax: (506) 684-7356
E-mail: recrea@nbnet.nb.ca

Recreaplex Inc. is a unique recreational centre for the whole family. It provides the following: 25 meter indoor leisure pool with a 30 meter water slide, two children water slides, a whirlpool, a sauna, a fitness centre and much more. The building is fully accessible to persons with disabilities.

RECREATION DEPARTMENTS AND PARKS

Most municipalities of the province have a recreation department which provides recreational facilities and programs which are offered to all children, usually up to the age of 17 years. Children with disabilities can take part in such programs. For more detailed information on the recreational services available in your area, contact your municipal office.

RÉSIDENCE COMMUNAUTAIRE LYNNE FERGUSON INC.

Ronald Comeau, Director
4287 Levine Street
Tracadie-Sheila, N.B. E1X 1C4

Telephone: (506) 395-9178
Fax: (506) 394-3565
Email: reslynfe@nbnet.nb.ca

Residence specialized in providing services to people with autism. Look after their physical needs, make arrangements for continuing follow-up by competent doctors and psychiatrists, organize educational and recreational activities, and also their integration into the community.

RESPITE CARE SERVICES FOR CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS

Andrée Leger-Cormier, Program Director
(Westmorland-Albert County)
Marie-Reine LeBlanc (Kent County)
236 St. George Street, Suite 315
Moncton, N.B. E1C 1W1

Telephone: (506) 869-6977
Fax: (506) 853-7856
E-mail: mctnvol@nbnet.nb.ca
Website: www.volunteergreatermoncton.com

Open to individual referral, our service provides relief and companionship to families of children under the age of twenty-one (21) years with any developmental special need throughout the counties of Westmorland, Albert and Kent. Families can schedule up to a maximum of forty-eight (48) hours of relief care each month. The child is matched on an individual basis with a volunteer care provider. Volunteers participate in a thorough screening process. Care is provided either in the child's home, in the home of the individual providing the respite or in the community.

RESTIGOUCHE FAMILY CRISIS INTERVENERS -- Campbellton

Josée Rouleau, Executive Director
16A Aberdeen Street
P. O. Box 355
Campbellton, N.B. E3N 3G7

Telephone: (506) 759-6683
Fax: (506) 759-6685
E-mail: rfci@nb.sympatico.ca

Restigouche Family Crisis Interveners provides information, support, referrals to the appropriate agencies in areas such as family violence, domestic dispute, problems regarding youth, alcohol and drug addiction, emotional problems, suicide tendencies or attempts, death and dying, need for food or shelter, fear of violence and sexual assault. Services are available on a 24-hour basis. Services available in English and French.

RESTIGOUCHE FAMILY SERVICES INC.

113 Roseberry Street, Suite 302
Campbellton, N.B. E3N 2G6

Telephone: (506) 753-4161
Fax: (506) 753-7773
E-mail: sfr-rfs@nb.aibn.com

Mission: Strengthen effective functioning for individuals and families in today's society.

Community Services:

- Counseling (individual, family and couple) - Stress Management, Anger Management, Panic and anxiety, Separation, Children/Teenagers, Sexual abuse, Mediation, Grief
- Groups - Therapeutic, Support
- Educational and Training Workshops
- Early Intervention
- Perfecting parental skills
- Outreach worker

Self-referral. Hours are Monday to Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Services available in English and French.

RESTIGOUCHE RESIDENTIAL AGENCY INC.

Martin Bélanger, Director
6 Union Street
P. O. Box 54
Campbellton, N.B. E3N 3G1

Telephone: (506) 759-6668
Fax: (506) 759-6661
E-mail: rra@nb.aibn.com

The Restigouche Residential Agency Inc. provides the necessary services to each client so that he/she attains his/her full potential, facilitate the acquiring of personal and social abilities conducive to autonomy. The agency collaborates with local and provincial organizations that can contribute to the improvement of life of a person. The agency promotes to the community the needs of their clients as well as protect their rights.

Services: personal support, transition from school to work, getting started in a job, living arrangement, leisure buddy, relief services for the family, job training and career assistance. Services available in English and French.

RP (RETINITIS PIGMENTOSA) EYE RESEARCH FOUNDATION

New Brunswick Chapter:
140 Riverhill Drive
Saint John, N.B. E2M 4T7

Contact: Blair Young
Telephone: (506) 672-5557 (h)
(506) 634-6922 (w)
Fax: (506) 634-7202

RP Eye Research Foundation offers support and information on retinitis pigmentosa.

ST. JOHN AMBULANCE – Saving Lives – at home, work and play

Provincial Office:
Larry Broad, Executive Director
200 Miles Street
P.O. Box 3599, Station "B"
Fredericton, N.B. E3A 5J8

Telephone:	(506) 458-9129
Toll-free:	(800) 563-9998
Fax:	(506) 452-8699
E-mail:	stjohnnb@nbnet.nb.ca
Website:	www.sja.ca/nb

Our mission is to enable Canadians to improve their health, safety and quality of life by providing training and community service. St. John Ambulance offers a variety of First Aid, CPR and Health Promotion courses for all age groups. Trained volunteers throughout the province provide first aid event coverage at public events. To arrange for training or event coverage, please contact the provincial office.

St. Joseph's COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTRE

140 Bayard Drive
Saint John, N.B. E2L 3K1

Contact:	Laurie Janes
Telephone:	(506) 632-5700
Fax:	(506) 632-5539
E-mail:	janla@reg2.health.nb.ca
Website:	www.ahsc.health.nb.ca/CHC/

St. Joseph's Community Health Centre works in partnership with the community, offering skills and resources to help improve health among individuals and families and build a healthy community. We offer a wide variety of health services through a health team that includes physicians, nurses, nurse practitioners, a pharmacist, occupational therapist, dieticians and social workers. Access centre staff can assist with a search for information concerning life skills, life balance, health issues, employment and healthy parenting and other issues related to wellness. Youth centre staff offer programs and services that are specifically designed to meet the needs of teens and their parents. Staff at SJCHC are involved in initiatives that respond to community needs, such as tobacco reduction, well lifestyles, arthritis management, promotion of mental wellness, and promotion of healthy personal and family life.

SAINT JOHN ASSOCIATION FOR COMMUNITY LIVING - EMPLOYMENT PROGRAM

Hilyard Place, Suite C203
600 Main Street
P.O. Box 803
Saint John, N.B. E2L 4B3

Contact: Rick Seely, Program Coordinator
Telephone: (506) 652-1544
Fax: (506) 648-9687
E-mail: n6employ@nb.aibn.com
Website: www.sjcommunityliving.nb.ca

The Saint John Association for Community Living operates an employment program for people with intellectual and multi-barrier disabilities in the Greater Saint John area. The program focuses on:

- providing orientation and training to employers and co-workers on strategies and techniques for training workers with intellectual disabilities and multiple barriers, on ways to accommodate and support workers;
- providing training and education to assist the development of employability and social skills;
- uses person/client centred planning approaches;
- individuals in their last year or two of high school will be assisted with developing plans for successful transitions from school to work.
- SJACL will assist to match skills and interests with employers and employment opportunities in the greater Saint John area.

SAINT JOHN ASSOCIATION OF THE DEAF

c/o Walter Jenkins, President
76 Inglewood Road
Grand Bay-Westfield, N.B. E5K 2E2

Telephone: (506) 738-2239 (TTY)

This association consists of a social and recreational club for deaf adults and children who use manual sign language. Members get together for parties, bingo (once a month), meetings and special events.

SAINT JOHN CANADA GAMES AQUATIC CENTRE

John Fitzgerald, General Manager
50 Union Street
Saint John, N.B. E2L 1A1

Telephone: (506) 658-4715
24 Hour info: (506) 658-4737
Fax: (506) 658-4730
E-mail: aquatics@nbnet.nb.ca
Website: www.aquatics.nb.ca

The Canada Games Aquatic Centre provides opportunities for facility usage, leisure swimming and learn-to-swim for special needs groups and individuals. Call their centre staff for advice on opportunities available and placements.

SAINT JOHN DEAF AND HARD OF HEARING SERVICES INC.

Lynn LeBlanc, Executive Director
646 Fairville Boulevard, Suite 302
Saint John, N.B. E2M 4Y7

Telephone: (506) 633-0599
TTY: (506) 634-8037
: (506) 333-6526 (cell)
Fax: (506) 652-3382
E-mail: sjdhhs@nb.sympatico.ca
Website: www.sjdhhs.com

Saint John Deaf and Hard of Hearing Services Inc. offers services designed to create equal opportunity and accessibility to Deaf and hard of hearing people.

The agency's goal is to enable Deaf, hard of hearing and deafened people to live independent, productive lives with full access to the services and opportunities available to the hearing population. In order to accomplish this, we act as a link between the Deaf and hearing communities, providing the hearing community with information about deafness and related issues and providing the Deaf community with access to services and information.

Saint John Deaf and Hard of Hearing Services Inc. works closely with existing agencies, making their services more accessible to the Deaf and hard of hearing population. Some of the services offered by this group are: interpreter services, information/referral, Hard of Hearing Self Help Group, information regarding technical devices, sign language class, heritage program, life skills, etc…

The William Anderson Memorial scholarship program is available through the Saint John Deaf and Hard of Hearing Services for Manual Deaf Consumers living in South-Western New Brunswick.

Saint John Deaf and Hard of Hearing Services Inc. now have employment services for the Fredericton Region called "**Fredericton Works**".

Elizabeth Tait, Employment Counsellor
259 Brunswick Street, Suite 301-B
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 1G8

Telephone: (506) 450-9354
(Voice/TTY)
Fax: (506) 458-5773
E-mail: ftonworks@nb.aibn.com

Services include: career counseling, job maintenance, skills training, educational support, job search strategies, etc…

SAINT JOHN LABOUR COMMUNITY SERVICES INC.

30-1216 Sand Cove Road
(Formerly Dr. Roberts Building)
Saint John, N.B. E2M 5V8

Telephone: (506) 635-0391
Fax: (506) 634-7099
E-mail: sjlabour@nbnet.nb.ca

A United Way agency that services the greater Saint John area and charges no fee for service. Experienced staff may help an injured worker appeal a decision of the Workplace Health, Safety & Compensation (WHSCC) or the Canada Pension Disability Plan (CPP). Also assists and/or represents a client when meeting with the Employment Insurance (EI) Board of References. Clients may be referred to a wide range of services and agencies in Saint John. A limited resource library is available. Staff and/or volunteers are able to visit schools and service clubs to conduct information sessions regarding the work they do.

SARCOIDOSIS AWARENESS GROUP

3 Andrew Court
Grand Bay-Westfield, N.B. E5K 4T7

Contact: Patricia Perrin
Telephone: (506) 738-1881
E-mail: pperrin@nb.sympatico.ca

This support group serves those with Sarcoidosis in the Saint John area. Literature and information on Sarcoidosis is available as well as a volunteer who can make appearances at group meetings.

SCHIZOPHRENIA SOCIETY OF CANADA

National Office:
Joan Montgomery, CEO
50 Acadia Avenue, Suite 205
Markham, Ontario L3R 0B3

Telephone: (905) 415-2007
Toll-free: (888) SSC-HOPE [772-4673]
Fax: (905) 415-2337
E-mail: info@schizophrenia.ca
Website: www.schizophrenia.ca

Provincial Organization in New Brunswick:
Schizophrenia Society of New Brunswick
Victoria Health Centre, Room G04
65 Brunswick Street
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 5G6

Telephone: (506) 451-7770
E-mail: ssnb@nb.aibn.com
Website: www.schizophrenia.ca/ssnb

Formed in 1979, the Schizophrenia Society of Canada (SSC) is a national registered charity. Our mission is to alleviate the suffering caused by schizophrenia and related mental disorders.

We work with 10 provincial societies and their over 100 chapters and branches, to help people suffering from schizophrenia and their families have a better quality of life while we search for a cure. SSC is committed to: raising awareness and education to the public to help reduce stigma and discrimination, supporting families and individuals, advocating for legislative change and improved treatment and services, and supporting research through the SSC Foundation and other independent efforts.

The following are the Chapters for the Schizophrenia Society of New Brunswick:

FREDERICTON - Victoria Health Center, Rm G04
65 Brunswick Street
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 5G6
Telephone: (506) 451-7770
E-mail: mluck@unb.ca

MIRAMICHI - P.O. Box 562
Miramichi, N.B. E1V 3T7
Telephone: (506) 622-1595
Fax: (506) 622-8927
E-mail: ssnbmiramichi@nb.aibn.com
Website: www.schizophrenia.nb.ca

MONCTON - P.O. Box 25150
Moncton, N.B. E1C 9M9
Telephone: (506) 384-8668
Fax: (506) 384-2486
E-mail: ssnb@nbnet.nb.ca

SAINT JOHN - P.O. Box 20062
Saint John, N.B. E2L 5B2
Telephone: (506) 652-4161
E-mail: options@nb.aibn.com

SCOUTS CANADA

Thomas Heath, Executive Director
N. B. Provincial Council
201 Union Street
Saint John, N.B. E2L 1A9
Telephone: (506) 646-9120
Fax: (506) 646-9122
E-mail: scoutcda@nbnet.nb.ca
Website: www.scoutsnb.com

Provides opportunities to help youth and young people, 5 to 26 years of age, to develop as resourceful and responsible members of the community. Programs are offered to children with physical disabilities, children with a mild or moderate mental or emotional disability, children with speech impediments or learning disabilities. Outdoor activities, leadership skills, life-skills training and group meetings are part of scouting fun and adventure. This organization has 65 groups around the province. Services available in English.

SELF-HELP STROKE CLUBS

Self-help clubs are small groups formed by peers voluntarily offering mutual aid to persons with common needs and similar life situations. The groups are made of people who have lived through the experience of having a stroke. Any person who has experienced hemiplegia due to a stroke or brain injury, and also family members, can profit from contact with other families who have had a member recover from a stroke.

Monthly meetings are held on the third Tuesday of every month from September to May at the Loch Lomond Villa to provide encouragement and support. The meetings consist of a social gathering where people learn new skills on how to handle their disability. An annual get-together is held in June at the Manchester Avenue location. Services available in English.

SAINT JOHN - Saint John Stroke Club
c/o Evelyn Watters
301 Manchester Avenue
Saint John, N.B. E2M 4H5
Telephone: (506) 672-7308

SENIORS' INFORMATION AND RESOURCE CENTRE

Don Shaw, President
Brunswick Square, Level III
39 King Street
Saint John, N.B. E2L 4W3

Telephone: (506) 633-8781
Information Line: (506) 632-8787

Information and referral services are provided to those 55 and over (many of whom have one or more disabling conditions), their families, friends and caregivers in the greater Saint John area. A pre-recorded message provides current information when you dial the information message phone number. A wide variety of pamphlets are available along with a regular publication "Senior News". The Centre assists in coordinating Loyalist Senior Friendship Games and other activities. Services available in English.

SENIORS' OUTREACH CENTER

Loch Lomond Villa Inc.
185 Lock Lomond Road
Saint John, N.B. E2J 3S3

Contact: Shelley Shillington,
Seniors Outreach Program Manager
Telephone: (506) 643-7140
Fax: (506) 643-7198
E-mail: sshillington@lochlomondvilla.nb.ca

The Seniors Outreach Program is a day program for seniors living in the greater Saint John community. The Center is designed to meet the needs of seniors who may require motivational, social, and therapeutic activities; companionship if they are socially isolated or lonely; and programs/services for seniors who are physically disabled or suffering with mild to moderate memory impairments. As well, the Center provides relief in the caregiver role in a safe, warm and caring environment. The Center offers a blend of health, social and recreational programming, and senior's benefits from the program as it provides motivational activities while maintaining or restoring their physical or emotional functioning. This center also increases awareness of community resources available to the senior.

SERVICE CLUBS

A number of service clubs have an interest in improving the quality of life and may provide direct financial assistance for persons with specific disabilities in this province.

Some of the clubs with local chapters across the province are:

Barbershop Quartet Singing in America
Canadian Legion
Elks of Canada
Elm City Echoes
Firefighters Association
Jaycees
Kinsman/Kinette Club
Kiwanis Club
Knights of Columbus
Ladies' Auxiliary
Lions Club
Quota Club
Rotary Club
Club Richelieu
Shriners (Luxor Temple)
Snowmobilers' Federation
Telephone Pioneers of America
United Commercial Travellers
Victoria Lodge of International Order of Odd Fellows

SERVICE D'AIDE À LA FAMILLE D'EDMUNDSTON ET GRAND-SAULT INC.

Murielle Bourgeois, Director
13 Dugal Street
P. O. Box 687
Edmundston, N.B. E3V 1X4

Telephone: (506) 737-8000
Fax: (506) 739-7812
Grand Falls: (506) 473-7002

The agency provides support to families by ensuring community living for adults and children with special needs and seniors who want to maintain their independence at home. Services available in English and French.

SERVICE RÉSIDENTIEL CARAQUET INC.

Aldo Chiasson, Executive Director
204 St. Pierre Boulevard East
Caraquet, N.B. E1W 1B1

Telephone: (506)727-3772 (w)
(506) 727-6958 (h)
Fax: (506) 727-9800

The Service Résidentiel Caraquet Inc. is sponsored by Les Forces-Vives Inc. which is a non-profit agency that works with people with a mental disability in the Caraquet area. It is a community residence whose role is to develop everyone's potential and autonomy. Services available in French.

SERVICES COMMUNAUTAIRES DE L'ARC INC.

5604 des Érables Street
Rogersville, N.B.
E4Y 1K7

Contact: Jocelyne LeBlanc
Telephone: (506) 775-6030

Services communautaires de l'ARC Inc. is an organization whose goal is to assist persons from the Acadieville, Rogersville and Collette, (ARC) region, who have a disability to improve their quality of life. This organization works at improving and promoting opportunities for development which will allow persons who have disabilities to attain their full potential. Services available in French.

SHRINERS (LUXOR TEMPLE)

92 Germain Street
P. O. Box 2084
Saint John, N.B. E2L 3T5

Telephone: (506) 652-2832
Fax: (506) 658-9231
E-mail: luxor@nbnet.nb.ca

Their objective is to provide transportation and treatment for physically disabled and burned children to their 19 orthopaedic and 3 burns institutes. They have fund raising activities to provide funds for these hospitals, as well as to raise funds to transport these children and a parent/guardian, free of charge, to the Shriners Hospital of Canada or Shriners Hospital for Children Boston Burns Unit. There are members available to visit schools and businesses, to conduct workshops and do presentations.

SIDA AIDS MONCTON INC.

Deborah Warren, Executive Director
165A Gordon Street
Moncton, N.B. E1C 1N1

Telephone: (506) 859-9616
Fax: (506) 855-4726
Information line: (506) 859-9616
E-mail: sidaidsm@nbnet.nb.ca
Website: www.sida-aidsmoncton.com

The following services are offered by SIDA AIDS Moncton Inc.:

Self help groups for persons living with HIV/AIDS; referral services; subsidized housing; access to workshops, information line, resource library, pamphlets, videos, public speaking on AIDS-related issues, public awareness campaigns, prevention education programming for youth. Services available in English and French.

S.M.I.L.E.

Jacqueline Leger
Université de Moncton
Moncton Campus
Moncton, N.B. E1A 3E9

Telephone: (506) 858-4433
E-mail: legerjac@umoncton.ca

Provides an aquatic & gym program for children ages 5 to 12. Children receive one-on-one instruction by university student volunteers. The program operates January through April, with registration in December. Services are available in English and French.

SOCIAL CULTURAL AND RECREATIONAL GROUP OF MADAWASKA

Adrien Fournier, President
20 Edgar Street
St. Basile, N.B. E7C 1N8

Telephone: (506) 263-8846

Raymond Martin, Vice President

Telephone: (506) 735-3617

A community organization that is concerned with the integration and recreational activities for persons with disabilities. The organization was founded in 1992. Some of its projects are Disability Awareness Week and some workshops.

SOUTHAMPTON HOUSE INC.

Mary Ann Peters, Administrative Director
31 Michael Avenue
Hanwell, N.B. E3C 2A5

Telephone: (506) 451-9880
Fax: (506) 458-9732
E-mail: southam@nb.aibn.com

Provides a variety of residential, vocational and recreational services on an individual basis to persons who have survived a brain injury.

SOUTH-EAST DEAF & HARD OF HEARING SERVICES INC.

Laura Peters, Executive Director
1690 West Main Street
Moncton, N.B. E1E 1G9

Telephone: (506) 859-6101
TTY: (506) 384-8260
Fax: (506) 856-5060
E-mail: mhic@nbnet.nb.ca
Website: www.south-eastdeaf.nb.ca

The South-East Deaf & Hard of Hearing Services Inc. offers services, programs and advocacy for persons who are Deaf or hard of hearing. Services include Sign Language interpreting, counseling, referrals, direction and support, assistance, information on job search techniques, resumes, public awareness seminars and workshops, courses in sign language (ASL), information and assistance in accessing government funded services and programs.

SPEAK EASY INC.

Mike Hughes, Executive Director
95 Evergreen Avenue
Saint John, N.B. E2N 1H4

Telephone: (506) 696-6799
Toll-free: (800) 345-9022
E-mail: info@speakeasycanada.com
Website: www.speakeasycanada.com

Speak Easy Inc. is the Canadian national organization for people who stutter, parents of children who stutter, professionals in the field and the general public. They provide information, support, referral services and assist in setting up local community groups. Information is available on request.

SPECIAL OLYMPICS N.B.

Joseph Trevors, Executive Director
900 Hanwell Road, Unit 13
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 6A3

Telephone: (506) 459-3999
Toll-free: (888) 362-5926
(only in N.B., N.S. and P.E.I.)
Fax: (506) 451-1325
E-mail: joseph.trevors@sonb.ca / info@sonb.ca
Website: www.sonb.ca

Special Olympics New Brunswick is a not-for-profit organization that provides sport competition and training for people with intellectual disabilities. These programs operate on an ongoing year round basis within various communities throughout the province in two main categories: Athletic Club programs and Sport Specific programs. Programs are provided by certified coaches and trained volunteers. Special Olympics New Brunswick is an Accredited Chapter of Special Olympics Canada and therefore offers the opportunities to compete at the local, provincial, national and international level.

S.O.N.B. offers programs in 14 different sports: floor hockey, bowling (5 and 10 pin), swimming, Nordic and alpine skiing, curling, skating (speed and figure), track and field, softball, snowshoeing, basketball and soccer. Details of the various programs are available on line at www.sonb.ca.

Also, you can contact us with the toll free number from anywhere in the Maritime provinces.

SPINA BIFIDA & HYDROCEPHALUS ASSOCIATION OF CANADA

#977-167 Lombard Avenue
Winnipeg, Manitoba R3B 0V3

Telephone: (204) 925-3650
Toll-free: (800) 565-9488
Fax: (204) 925-3654
E-mail: spinab@mts.net
Website: www.sbhac.ca

The objectives of this registered, charitable association are to educate the general public on spina bifida and hydrocephalus; to find the causes of spina bifida and hydrocephalus and to provide better treatment; and to enhance the quality of life for the family.

STAN CASSIDY CENTRE FOR REHABILITATION

800 Priestman Street
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 0C7

Telephone: (506) 452-5225
Fax: (506) 452-5190

The Rehabilitation Centre is the designated tertiary neurological Rehabilitative Centre in the Province of New Brunswick. The environment and activities of the Rehabilitation Centre are geared solely towards maximizing independence and self-care for the individual.

A comprehensive range of services are integrated into an individually tailored program for each person. Persons may be admitted on an inpatient or outpatient basis.

Services Offered:

- Physiatry-Physical Medicine
- Occupational Therapy
- Speech-Language Pathology
- Recreation Therapy
- Social Work
- Wheelchair Seating Inserts
- Driving Program for Disabled Persons
- Prosthetics - Orthotic
- Myo-Electrics
- Augmentative Communication Program
- Rehabilitation Engineering
- Pastoral care services
- Rehabilitative Nursing
- Electric wheelchair assessment
- Environmental controls
- Consultations
- Education
- Outreach Clinics
- Psychology
- Pre-Vocational Assessment
- Clinical Dietetics
- Physiotherapy

Speciality Teams and Clinics:

To fulfil its specialty role, individual teams and treatment protocols have been developed for each of the following disabilities:

- Spinal Cord Injury
- Children with Neuromuscular Disorders/Developmental Delays
- Stroke/Brain Injury
- Progressive Disabilities
- Upper extremity amputees
- Multiple Sclerosis
- Muscular Dystrophy
- Spina Bifida
- Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis

Average Length of Stay:

The length of time a patient stays as an inpatient varies, depending upon the nature of the disability and the patient's motivation to respond. The average stay is 50 days. When a plateau is reached, the patient is normally discharged.

Cost to the Patient:

The Rehabilitation Centre is a publicly-funded New Brunswick hospital. Care and treatment are provided without direct cost to each patient. Assistance in funding special equipment needed by the patient is available upon request.

Admission Procedure:

Any licensed physician may refer a patient to the Centre for assessment and/or treatment. Referral forms are available for this purpose. The treatment teams screen all referrals and advise the physician and patient accordingly.

Discharge Planning:

Discharge planning begins the moment the person is admitted to the Rehabilitation Centre. Involvement of family, physician and community agencies is encouraged throughout the rehabilitation program. They play an important role in the rehabilitation plan. The referring physician and other authorized persons will receive a written report following discharge of the patient.

STUDENT ACCESSIBILITY CENTRE

Patricia Kirby, Coordinator
Room 212, Marshall D'Avray Hall
University of New Brunswick
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 5A3

Telephone: (506) 453-3515
Fax: (506) 453-4765
E-mail: unbds@unb.ca

The Student Accessibility Centre exists to provide services to support students with disabilities, both visible and invisible, during their academic experience at UNB. Services available in English.

STUDENT SERVICES (School District 18)

Jody Gorham, Supervisor of Student Services
P.O. Box 10
1135 Prospect Street
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 4Y4

Telephone: (506) 457-7841
Fax: (506) 453-4220
E-mail: jody.gorham@gnb.ca

Provides services for exceptional students in District 18. Jody Gorham may be contacted for information regarding similar services in other English school districts.

TETRA SOCIETY OF NORTH AMERICA - FREDERICTON CHAPTER

Christine Plourde
c/o Conestoga-Rovers and Associates (CRA)
466 Hodgson Road
Fredericton, N.B. E3C 2G5

Telephone: (506) 462-7662
Fax: (506) 462-7646
E-mail: cplourde@craworld.com
Website: www.tetrasociety.org

The purpose of Tetra is to recruit skilled volunteer engineers, technicians, trades people and health professionals to help create assistive devices for people with disabilities. Volunteers work one-to-one with the individual to make assistive aids or modifications to their environment so that greater independence can be achieved. Promotional material is available as well as presentations or visits. Services are provided in English and French. For services in French, please contact:

Jean-Frederic LaLonde, P.Eng.
Telephone: (506) 357-1211
E-mail: jean-frederic.lalonde@dcc-cdc.gc.ca

THERAPEUTIC RIDING ASSOCIATIONS

These groups offer a horse-back-riding program for children and adults with physical and mental disabilities. They are attempting to promote riding as a recreational activity for persons with disabilities in New Brunswick. It is also being recognized by many therapists as an exercise that has enormous physical benefits. A doctor's permission is required to enter the program.

The following groups are established to date:

FREDERICTON - Fredericton Therapeutic
Riding Association
737 Dobie Street
Fredericton, N.B. E3A 2Z3

Contact: Lloyd V. Boyd, Dir.
Telephone: (506) 458-9330
Fax: (506) 458-1325
E-mail: lvboyd@rogers.com

MONCTON - Cavalier Riding Club
c/o Ashton Ridge Equestrian Centre
711 Pine Glen Road
Pine Glen, N.B. E1J 1S1
Services available in English and French.

Contact: Mark Stevens, President
Telephone: (506) 386-2596
E-mail: mgs500@gmail.com

SAINT JOHN - Shining Horizons Therapeutic
Riding Association
95 Shillington Road
Saint John, N.B. E2J 4G1

Contact: Karen Kincade
Telephone: (506) 696-1935
Fax: (506) 658-2902
E-mail: parris@nb.sympatico.ca

THYROID FOUNDATION OF CANADA - GREATER SAINT JOHN AREA CHAPTER

Irene Britton
1581 Golden Grove Road
Saint John, N.B. E2N 2A5

Telephone: (506) 696-2247
Fax: (506) 696-4472
24-Hour Help Line: (506) 633-5920
E-mail: iren1581@nb.sympatico.ca
Website: www.thyroid.ca

The objectives of the Foundation are to awaken public interest in and awareness of thyroid disease; to lend support to thyroid patients and their families; and to assist in fund-raising for thyroid disease research.

This chapter holds four public educational meetings per year with medical guest speakers on thyroid dysfunction. It offers free "Health Guides" available in English or French, and it has other excellent literature that may be ordered. Members receive "Thyrobulletin" four times a year. The Foundation hopes that with increased awareness and knowledge of thyroid disease, patients will be diagnosed sooner. Individuals are available to do presentations.

TOURETTE SYNDROME FOUNDATION OF CANADA

National Office:
206 -194 Jarvis Street
Toronto, Ontario M5B 2B7

Telephone: (416) 861-8398
Toll-free: (800) 361-3120
Fax: (416) 861-2472
E-mail: tsfc@tourette.ca
Website: www.tourette.ca

The Tourette Syndrome Foundation of Canada provides support to individuals, families and other professionals affected by and/or interested in Tourette Syndrome. We provide support through the dissemination of brochures and booklets. Specialized information packages are available to medical and education professionals upon request. We also offer telephone support (at both a national and local level) and run chapter meetings (across the country), workshops and annual general meetings. Memberships are $35.00/individual & $50.00/family a year and come with many benefits such as reduced costs to attend our workshops and conferences as well as subscription to our national newsletter. We also provide in-services for schools, teachers and also at workplaces.

UNION OF N.B. INDIANS

Darrell Paul, Executive Director
370 Wilsey Road
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 6E9

Telephone: (506) 458-9444
Fax: (506) 458-2850
E-mail: lobby@unbi.org

The Disability Advocate at the Union of New Brunswick Indians offers services and advocacy for aboriginal persons living with a disability. Services include information and assistance in accessing government funded programs. Services available in English.

UNITED OSTOMY ASSOCIATION OF CANADA, INC.

Self-help group offering support to ostomates and their families. Monthly meetings include continuing education and helpful lifestyle hints. It offers a visitor program to potential ostomates and to those who have undergone surgery. Services available in English.

They are available to do workshops or presentations, but require two weeks notice.

Atlantic Region Representative for UOAC, Inc.:
Judy Steeves, Fredericton (506) 459-4243 or e-mail: uoac@nbnet.nb.ca

FREDERICTON - Fredericton Ostomy Assoc.
290 Lincoln Road
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 2A3
24-Hour HelpLine: (506) 459-6781
E-mail: jvwoods@nbnet.nb.ca
Website: www.ostomycanada.ca

MIRAMICHI - Miramichi Ostomy Assoc.
271 Dawson Street
Miramichi, N.B. E1C 1E6
Telephone: (506) 622-3317
E-mail: jamcamp@nb.sympatico.ca
Website:
www.geocities.com/uoamiramichi

MONCTON - Moncton Ostomy Association
208 Waverley Avenue
Moncton, N.B. E1C 7V4
Telephone: (506) 384-4966
E-mail: holton@nbnet.nb.ca

SAINT JOHN - Saint John Ostomy Association
81 Inglewood Drive, Apt. 3
Grand Bay-Westfield, N.B. E5K 2E3
Telephone: (506) 738-1055
E-mail: inglewood@rogers.com

UP WITH DOWNS

340 Inglewood Drive
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 2K6

Contact: Marlene Munn
Telephone: (506) 474-9014
E-mail: marlenm@nb.sympatico.ca

Up With Downs is a support group for parents of children with Down Syndrome. Volunteers are available to conduct workshops and presentations in English as well as provide resource information.

UPPER VALLEY AUTISM RESOURCE CENTRE

Penny Martin, Coordinator/Chris McAuley, Chairman
496 East Riverside Drive
Perth-Andover, N.B. E7H 1Z1

Telephone: (506) 273-6721
E-mail: uvarc@xplornet.com

This is a non-profit, community-based organization with a mandate to support and provide resources, services and information to individuals, families, caregivers and professionals dealing with Autism Spectrum Disorders. These include a lending library, educational toys, videos/DVDs, computer access, workshops and conferences and a support group. Services are available in English but English and French materials are available in our library.

VICTIM SERVICES

The Victim Services program provides the following services, free of charge, to victims in a criminal case:

- Assist victims with Court Preparation Program
- Information on how to prepare a victim impact statement
- Compensation for victims of crime
- Trauma counseling for victims
- Short-term counseling for victims
- Services for children, youth and their families
- Information about the Offender and Correctional Programs
- Victim Notification of Review Board Hearing and Outcomes for accused found not criminally responsible due to reason of mental disorder

Staff is available to conduct workshops/presentations. The following is a list of offices located throughout the province:

BATHURST - Telephone: (506) 547-2924
BOUCTOUCHE - Telephone: (506) 523-7150
BURTON - Telephone: (506) 357-4035
CAMPBELLTON - Telephone: (506) 789-2388
EDMUNDSTON - Telephone: (506) 735-2543
ELSIPOGTOG - Telephone: (506) 523-4747
FREDERICTON - Telephone: (506) 453-2768
GRAND FALLS - Telephone: (506) 473-7706
MIRAMICHI - Telephone: (506) 627-4065
MONCTON - Telephone: (506) 856-2875
RICHIBUCTO - Telephone: (506) 523-7150
SAINT JOHN - Telephone: (506) 658-3742
SHEDIAC - Telephone: (506) 533-9100
ST. STEPHEN - Telephone: (506) 466-7414
TRACADIE-SHEILA - Telephone: (506) 394-3690
WOODSTOCK - Telephone: (506) 325-4422

Services available in both English and French.

VICTORIAN ORDER OF NURSES N.B. INC.

Provincial Office:
Joy MacDonald, Branch Director
1077 St. George Blvd., Suite 320
Moncton, N.B. E1E 4C9

Telephone: (506) 387-6250
Fax: (506) 387-6268
E-mail: joy.macdonald@von.ca
General E-mail: nbadmin@von.ca

The VON provides nursing care in the home to persons of all ages, to persons who are chronically ill, and to persons with any type of disability. All VON branches provide foot-care services in a clinic setting or in the home. The Fredericton and Oromocto branches each operate an ***Adult Day Centre*** which aims to maintain and improve the patient's ability to live independently in his/her own home. VON Saint John provides a ***Home Support Program*** which is an in-home support service to persons with disabilities (see listings in this directory). The Saint John branch offers a respite program providing service to caregivers. There are 10 branches across the province:

Bathurst Branch	Telephone:	(506) 548-2448
Campbellton Branch	Telephone:	(506) 753-4750
Edmundston Branch	Telephone:	(506) 739-6318
Fredericton Branch	Telephone:	(506) 458-8365
Miramichi Branch	Telephone:	(506) 778-9622
Moncton Branch	Telephone:	(506) 857-9115
Oromocto Branch	Telephone:	(506) 357-8542
Sackville Branch	Telephone:	(506) 536-0750
Saint John Branch	Telephone:	(506) 635-1530
Woodstock Branch	Telephone:	(506) 328-8224

VOLUNTEER CENTRES

Volunteer centres across the province recruit and refer volunteers to non-profit organizations in their community that request the assistance of volunteers. The assistance provided is available to persons with disabilities.

There are volunteer centres in the following regions:

BATHURST - Bathurst Volunteer Centre Inc.
464 King Avenue
Bathurst, N.B. E2A 1P6

Contact: Michel Godin
Telephone: (506) 549-5949
Fax: (506) 549-5866
E-mail: michel.godin@nb.aibn.com

CAMPBELLTON - Restigouche County Volunteer
Action Association Inc.
P. O. Box 1007
Campbellton, N.B. E3N 3H4

Telephone: (506) 753-2252
Fax: (506) 753-6403
E-mail: rcvaa@nb.aibn.com

CARAQUET - Centre de Bénévolat de la
Peninsule acadienne Inc.
100-220 St-Pierre Boulevard West
Caraquet, N.B. E1W 1A5

Contact: Léo-Paul Pinet
Telephone: (506) 727-1860
Fax: (506) 727-1862
E-mail: centbene@nbnet.nb.ca

MIRAMICHI - Miramichi Volunteer Services Inc.
65 Henry Street
Miramichi, N.B. E1V 2N4

Contact: Susan Gallant
Telephone: (506) 622-6565
Fax: (506) 622-2933
Email: mvsi@nb.aibn.com

MONCTON - Volunteer Centre of South
Eastern N.B.
236 St. George St., Suite 315
Moncton, N.B. E1C 1W1

Contact: Annette Vautour-McKay
Telephone: (506) 869-6977
Fax: (506) 853-7856
E-mail: mctnvol@nbnet.nb.ca
vcbed@nbnet.nb.ca (Executive Director)

SAINT JOHN - Saint John Volunteer Centre -
A United Way Agency
P. O. Box 7091, Station A
1st Floor Medical Arts Bldg
Saint John, N.B. E2L 4S5

Contact: Eileen McLaughlin
Telephone: (506) 658-1555
Fax: (506) 652-3791
E-mail: volunteer.sj@nb.aibn.com
Website:
www.saintjohnvolunteer.com

ST. STEPHEN - Volunteer Centre of
Charlotte County Inc.
199 Union Street
P. O. Box 271
St. Stephen, N.B. E3L 2X2

Contact: Donna Linton
Telephone: (506) 466-4995
Fax: (506) 465-0988
E-mail: vccc@nb.sympatico.ca

WAR AMPS (THE)

National Headquarters:
2827 Riverside Drive
Ottawa, Ontario K1V 0C4

Telephone: (613) 731-3821
Toll-free: (800) 465-2677
Fax: (613) 731-3234
E-mail: communications@waramps.ca
Website: www.waramps.ca

CHAMP Program (Ottawa):
Telephone: (613) 731-3821
Toll-free: (800) 267-4023
Fax: (613) 731-4092
Toll-free: (866) 235-0350
E-mail: champ@waramps.ca

Key Tag Service (Toronto):
E-Zee Access: (416) 297-2660
Toll-free: (800) 250-3030
E-Zee Access Fax: (416) 297-2650
Toll-free: (800) 219-8988
E-mail: customerservice@waramps.ca

The War Amps assists Canadian war, civilian and child amputees through financial assistance with artificial limbs, counseling, peer support, regional seminars and information on the latest prosthetic developments.

Child Amputee (CHAMP) Program – Children under the age of 18 who are missing a limb or limbs at birth, from medical causes or due to an accident are eligible to enroll in CHAMP. The program offers financial assistance for artificial limbs and related expenses; counseling to Champs and their families; regular regional seminars; matches families who have children with similar amputations through MATCHING MOTHERS; provides specially designed recreational limbs and adaptive devices, and encourages Champs to live full and active lives. JUMPSTART assists "Super Champs" (multiple amputee youngsters) with computers and computer training as an educational aid to ensure their employment opportunities in the future. Contact Carol Wilkins, Program Director for more information.

National Amputee Centre – Educates amputees and family members about all aspects of amputation, including the latest information on artificial limbs and products. Provides a comprehensive library and web site section and publishes amputee resources. Contact Adele Fifield, Director of the National Amputee Centre at (877) NAC-CIPA [(877) 622-2472] for more information.

Adult Prosthetics Program – Provides financial assistance to registered adult amputees in Canada for the purchase of artificial limbs. Program covers 15% of the total cost of a new limb to a maximum of $1,500 every three years and does not include repairs/adjustments, extra prosthetic supplies and travel to and from prosthetic centres. Contact Josée Roy-Pilon, Program Manager for more information at the National Amputee Centre.

WOODSTOCK RECREATION COUNCIL FOR THE DISABLED

Joanne Kraftcheck, Chairperson
138 Chapel Street
Woodstock, N.B. E7M 1H3

Telephone: (506) 325-4806 (w)
(506) 375-6068 (h)
Fax: (506) 325-4490

An advisory board looking at all facets of delivery of goods and recreation services to persons with all types of disabilities in the Woodstock area. The board aims to integrate persons with disabilities into the community's recreational activities. Through the Woodstock Recreation Department, a pilot project is presently underway to survey the needs of persons with disabilities in terms of recreation, and to develop needed services accordingly.

WORKERS' ADVOCATES

Website: www.gnb/ca/0303/01e.htm

Workers' Advocates are in place to assist injured workers or their dependents in respect of any claim being advanced for compensation before the Workplace Health, Safety and Compensation Commission of New Brunswick.

We provide information about Workplace Health, Safety and Compensation Commission programs, policies and practices; provide advice to injured workers or their dependents relative to issues that arise in relation to claims before the WHSCC; provide direct representation to injured workers or their dependents with respect to issues under appeal, although in some special circumstances we may decline to represent.

Workers' Advocates in New Brunswick are:

BATHURST - Andrew Ross
Dept. of Post-Secondary
Education, Training & Labour
P.O. Box 5001
275 Main Street, Suite 216
Harbourview Place
Bathurst, N.B. E2A 1A7

Telephone: (506) 549-5361
Toll-free: (800) 646-7344
Fax: (506) 549-5351
E-mail: andy.ross@gnb.ca

EDMUNDSTON - Lise LeBrun
Dept. of Post-Secondary
Education, Training & Labour
121 de l'Église Street, Suite 308
Carrefour Assomption
P. O. Box 5001
Edmundston, N.B. E3V 3L3

Telephone: (506) 735-2082
Fax: (506) 735-2558
E-mail: lise.lebrun@gnb.ca

FREDERICTON - Guy Dagenais
Dept. of Post-Secondary
Education, Training & Labour
470 York Street
P.O. Box 6000
Fredericton, N.B. E3B 5H1

Telephone: (506) 453-2149
Fax: (506) 453-3990
E-mail: guy.dagenais@gnb.ca

MIRAMICHI - Gisèle Fontaine
Dept. of Post-Secondary
Education, Training & Labour
152 Pleasant Street
P.O. Box 6000
Miramichi, N.B. E1V 3N3

Telephone: (506) 624-2125
Fax: (506) 624-5482
E-mail: gisele.fontaine@gnb.ca

MONCTON - Ray LeBlanc
Dept. of Post-Secondary
Education, Training & Labour
Place 1604
2000 Champlain Street
3rd Floor, Suite 320
Dieppe, N.B. E1A 1P1

Telephone: (506) 869-6455
Fax: (506) 869-6202
E-mail: ray.leblanc@gnb.ca

SAINT JOHN - Imelda O'Connor
Dept. of Post-Secondary
Education, Training & Labour
8 Castle Street, 2nd Floor
P.O. Box 5001
Saint John, N.B. E2L 4Y9

Telephone: (506) 658-2472
Fax: (506) 658-3075
E-mail: imelda.o'connor@gnb.ca

WORKink - A CANADA-WIDE VIRTUAL EMPLOYMENT RESOURCE CENTRE

The Canadian Council on Rehabilitation and Work
500 University Avenue, Suite 302
Toronto, ON M5G 1V7

Contact: Georgia Whalen, Manager

Toll-Free: (800) 664-0925
Voice: (416) 260-3060
TTY: (416) 260-9223
Fax: (416) 260-3093
E-mail: gwhalen@ccrw.org
Website: www.workink.com

Directed by the Canadian Council on Rehabilitation and Work and supported through community agency partners, WORK*ink* provides on-line labour market and career information, access to national, provincial and territorial resources. WORK*ink* offers on-line, real-time employment counseling and job accommodation advice to job seekers with disabilities and employers.

WORKPLACE ESSENTIAL SKILLS PARTNERSHIP (WESP) - EMPLOYMENT PROGRAM FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES

The Canadian Council on Rehabilitation and Work
111 Richmond Street W, Suite 401
Toronto, ON M5H 2G4

Telephone: (506) 858-1655
E-mail: nricker@ccrw.org
Website: www.ccrw.org

Contact: Norma Ricker , Manager, Employment Initiatives
529 Main Street, Suite 100
Moncton, NB E1C 1C4

This nationally acclaimed employment model has several distinctive features: the focus of the training is skills development; based on a formal partnership with community and employers; employer partners commit in advance to hire successful graduates from the project into permanent jobs; skills development is customized to meet specific needs of the employers; and the program includes a detailed transition plan, extended post program support for both the new hires and the employers.

WORKPLACE HEALTH, SAFETY AND COMPENSATION COMMISSION OF N.B.

1 Portland Street
P. O. Box 160
Saint John, N.B. E2L 3X9

Telephone: (506) 632-2200
Toll-free: (800) 222-9775
Fax: (506) 632-2830
E-mail: communications@whscc.nb.ca
Website: www.whscc.nb.ca

The Commission will promote a safe and healthy work environment to the workers and employers of New Brunswick, and efficiently provide quality services, just adjudication and fair administration of the legislation.

In order to provide better services to New Brunswick workers and employers, the Commission has established regional offices in the following areas:

BATHURST - Place Bathurst Mall
1300 St. Peter Avenue, Suite 220
Bathurst, N.B. E2A 3A6

Telephone: (506) 547-7300
Toll-free: (800) 222-9775
Fax: (506) 547-7311 /
: (506) 547-2982

DIEPPE - 30 Englehart Street, Suite F
Dieppe, N.B. E1A 8H3

Telephone: (506) 867-0525
Toll-free: (800) 222-9775
Fax: (506) 859-6911

GRAND BAY - WESTFIELD
Workers' Rehabilitation Centre
3700 Westfield Road
Saint John, N.B. E2M 5Z4
Telephone: (506) 738-8411
Toll-free: (800) 222-9775
Fax: (506) 738-3470

Postal Address:
P.O. Box 160
Saint John, N.B. E2L 3X9

GRAND FALLS -
166 Broadway Blvd, Suite 300
Grand Falls, N.B. E3Z 2J9
Telephone: (506) 475-2550
Toll-free: (800) 222-9775
Fax: (506) 475-2568

YMCA-YWCA

The YMCA-YWCA provides recreational facilities for fitness, leisure, etc. Services available in English and French. For details of services offered to persons with disabilities, please contact the group nearest you:

FREDERICTON - Fredericton YMCA
28 Saunders Street
Fredericton, N.B.
E3B 1N1
Telephone: (506) 462-3000
Fax: (506) 462-3007
E-mail: ymca@nb.aibn.ca
Website: www.ymcafredericton.nb.ca

MONCTON - YMCA of Greater Moncton
30 War Veterans Avenue
Moncton, N.B. E1C 0B3
Telephone: (506) 857-0606
Fax: (506) 859-8198
E-mail: ymcamctn@nbnet.nb.ca
Website: www.thenewy.ca

- YWCA of Moncton
35 Highfield Street
Moncton, N.B. E1C 5N1
Telephone: (506) 855-4349
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